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Mexico.

DEFEAT REPORTED.

Federals in a Clash at Ojinaga.

Presidio, Tex., Hears that the Northern Army Has Met a Disaster.

Mexican Troops Cross Border Only to Be Disarmed and Forced Back.

A Number of Wounded Soldiers Picked Up by the Americans.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

PRESIDIO (Tex.) Dec 29.—The northern division of the Mexican Federal army apparently was utterly demoralized tonight.

With its dead and wounded stretched over the hills, and some of its soldiers fleeing in a panic across the United States border, only to be pushed back again, the 4000 Federals who had made a dramatic retreat from Chihuahua to Ojinaga, the little Mexican village opposite here, were scattered in all directions as a result of their first battle with the rebels.

Forty-two hundred rebels sent by Gen. Francisco Villa from Chihuahua literally sent terror through the Federal ranks. It was preceded by a three hours' battle, begun after dark, in which the rebels marching through the deep canyons south of Ojinaga completely wiped out the Federal outposts. The news of the defeat at La Mula Pass, and La Mulato, giving the rebels an obstructed pass to within firing distance of Ojinaga itself, caused a frenzied retreat among the Federals.

About 400 of them plunged into the river to seek safety on the American side. They were forced back again by Maj. McNamee.

Various reports were received by

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AEROPLANES AS HUSKIES.

Shackleton Will Use Them to Drive Arctic Sledges.

[BY CABLE AND A. P. TO THE TIMES.]

LONDON, Dec. 29.—An interesting feature of the equipment to be used by Sir Ernest H. Shackleton on his proposed expedition next year across the Antarctic continent will be sledges driven by aeroplane engines, and an aeroplane with clipped wings to aid in propelling the sledges over the ice. Sir Ernest plans to land at latitude 78 degrees south on Weddel Sea, at the beginning of November, 1914, and expects to arrive in Ross Sea, on the other side of the pole, in March, 1915.

AFRAID OF JUDGE LYNCH.

Maryland Sheriff Orders Deputies to Guard Two Negroes Whom Jury Fails to Indict.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CHESTERTOWN (Md.) Dec. 29.—The grand jury which considered the cases of the two negroes charged with the killing of James Coleman, a well-to-do farmer, adjourned tonight without returning an indictment. As a result friends of the murdered man were in an angry mood and the authorities feared an outburst tonight. Sheriff Brown ordered a number of the deputies sworn in when the trouble started to remain in the jail tonight.

Eight witnesses were examined today and twelve remain to be examined tomorrow.

THE MODERN MIRACLE.

Former President of American Medical Association Says Radium Has Cured His Cancer.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 29.—Abraham Jacobi, ex-president of the American Medical Association and an authority on women's and children's diseases, was cured of cancer by radium. He made the announcement at a meeting of the Eastern Medical Society recently held in Buffalo, and the facts are reported in the current issue of the New York Medical Journal.

THE WORLD'S NEWS IN TODAY'S TIMES.

THE HEART OF IT EPITOMIZED, CLASSIFIED AND INDEXED.

The Foremost Events of Yesterday: (1) Taft Heads Life Extension Society. (2) Department of Agriculture's Report on the Value of the Year's Products. (3) Mexico. (4) The Calumet Inquiry. (5) State Railway Commission's Regulation of Ocean Rates Upheld by California Supreme Court.

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SUMMARY.

THE SKY. Cloudy. Wind at 5 p.m., south; velocity, 6 miles. Thermometer, highest, 59 deg.; lowest, 45 deg. Forecast: Rain Tuesday, light southwest wind. For complete weather report see last page of Part I.

THE CITY. Judge Craig declared positively last night that he would not permit Ralph Parris to change his plea to not guilty.

A Salt Lake City man starts tomorrow with a party of friends to sail the southern seas on his private yacht.

Councilmen prepared plans yesterday for placing the Plaza in the restricted smoking district so as to break up the festival of anarchy there.

It was learned yesterday that the Painters' Union is endeavoring to foment a strike to muddle the situation in regard to the unemployed.

Circumstances pieced together yesterday that the missing Fancher girl ran away with a married man living here.

The county is prepared to care for 2000 unemployed men in Topango Canyon. A committee of citizens is preparing to put others to work clearing land.

Because of the crowded condition of the City Hall, department heads declare they will have to have more room to perform their duties, and the old plan of a new City Hall at Temple block is revived.

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA. Parents of E. D. Leffingwell, the Arctic explorer, have received a letter from their son, who announces that he is on Flaxman's island. He expects to return to Pasadena next November.

Two army officers flew fifty-eight miles in forty-six minutes at San Diego in an aeroplane. Their achievement won for them the Mackay trophy, which has been striven for many times by aviators.

Santa Monica people want a municipal auditorium and a movement has been started to build it.

PACIFIC SLOPE. The Supreme Court yesterday affirmed the jurisdiction of the State Railroad Commission over water traffic going beyond three-mile limit.

The proposed State prohibition measure will go on the ballot next year according to a dispatch from Sacramento received late yesterday.

Gov. Lister seeks the resignation of three more regents at the Washington State University.

The State Highway Commission yesterday refused to build an experimental road out of its own funds.

GENERAL EASTERN. Steamboats are to compete with railways between Chicago and Kansas City according to a dispatch from the former place last night.

The President defeated his physician in a game of golf yesterday according to a Pass Christian, Miss., dispatch.

WASHINGTON. Owing to the illness of Secretary McAdoo changes in the itinerary of the reorganization committee under the new currency law were announced yesterday.

The navy will send warships to Santa Monica at the time of the automobile races if possible.

MEXICO. A number of Mexican Federal troops were reported yesterday to have crossed the border into the United States near Presidio. They were disarmed by American troops and forced back across the border into Mexico.

A Juarez dispatch last night reiterated that Villa is holding women and children for ransom.

A Presidio, Tex., dispatch last night reported the defeat of the Northern division of the Mexican Federal army by the rebels near Ojinaga.

FOREIGN. An announcement from the Pasteur Institute in Paris yesterday stated that experiments made permitted the inference that vaccine and serums are not specific against tuberculosis.

A London dispatch last night reported that Shackelton will use aeroplanes to drive sledges to the Antarctic regions.

The reader who would do justice to himself will not depend wholly upon the forenoon summary, comprehensive though it is, but will take in the complete news reports, which necessarily cannot be luminously summarized, epitomized or classified.

Nature's Tango.

TEN BILLION DOLLARS FOR YEAR'S PRODUCTS.

American Soil Lavish in Its Bounties to Our Farmers.

There's Plenty in the World to Eat and More Still to House and Clothe Men and Women if They Merely Go to the Trouble of Scratching the Earth, Conclusion of the Department of Agriculture.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 29.—Ten billion dollars' worth of products, five billion dollars of cash income—a bumper year in spite of droughts and other setbacks—is the 1913 record of six million American farmers.

The most successful year of husbandry in the United States brought forth $6,100,000,000 worth of crop, of which $2,596,000,000 were represented by cereals alone and $3,650,000,000 worth of animals sold and slaughtered and animal products. The value of the 1913 crop is twice as great as that of 1899; more than a billion dollars over 1909, and substantially greater than 1912. Of all the crops, however, it is estimated that 52 per cent. will remain on farms where they were produced and that 20 per cent. of the animal production will remain. On that basis the cash income is estimated by the Department of Agriculture at $5,847,000,000.

But despite a record year of crop value—although the record of production has fallen—and the fact that the number of farms has increased 11 per cent. since 1910 until there are estimated to be 6,600,000 farms in the country, the department in a discussion of the subject made public today does not take the view that a lower cost of living will follow as a consequence.

FROM THE REPORT.

"However desirable production on farms may appear to be from the consumer's standpoint, it does not follow that such increased production would result in any increase in the cash income per farm or per capita of farm population, or that prices paid by consumers would be any lower," says the report. "Had the total production in 1913 equaled or exceeded the 1912 production, it seems probable that the cash income per farm would not have been greater and might have been less than in 1912; but it is extremely doubtful whether the cost to the consumer would have been any less because retail prices are promptly raised on a prospect of under production, but are very slow to decline if there is over-production.

"The high prices paid by consumers, ranging from 5 to nearly 100 per cent. in some cases more than the farmer receives, indicate that there is plenty of room for lowering the cost of farm products to consumers and at the same time largely increasing the cash income per farm without increasing farm production.

"This condition is undoubtedly a marketing problem which will have to be solved by better organizations of farmers and improved methods of marketing."

THE CROPS.

Corn, with a value of $1,692,000,000, comprised 28 per cent. of the value of all crops, although the volume was under the record. The other principal crops with values are given in the order in which they come. Cotton, $798,000,000; hay, $797,000,000; wheat—the largest crop ever raised in this country—$610,000,000; oats, $440,000,000; potatoes, $228,000,000; tobacco, $122,000,000; barley, $96,000,000; sweet potatoes, $43,000,000; sugar beets, $34,000,000; Louisiana cane sugar, $26,000,000; rye, $26,000,000; rice, $22,000,000; flax seed, $21,000,000; hops, $15,000,000; buckwheat, $10,000,000.

RECORDS BROKEN.

"In quantity of estimated production, the record has been broken by wheat, rye, rice, sugar beets, beet sugar and the total of beet and cane sugar," says the report. "Of the remaining crops, oats, barley, cotton and hops have been exceeded twice in production. The estimated productions of the other crops of which separate account was made, was relatively low.

"The value of the crops of 1913 is high. A new high record in estimated value is made by the total of cereals and separately by cotton, corn, cotton seed, tobacco and sugar beets.

"Dairy products of 1913 are estimated at more than $814,000,000. Eggs and fowls have an estimated value more than $578,000,000.

"The wool productions of 1913, estimated at 304,000,000 pounds, was over $51,000,000.

"The common phenomenon of record yield and crop value below the record, and of record crop value with low production is presented by more than half a dozen of the crops of 1913. If the farmer gets a high price, perhaps a very high price per bushel or other unit of quantity in case of a crop of low production, on the whole, he usually gets low prices for the crops which he produces in abundance.

PRICES.

The prices of fourteen principal crops average about 20.2 per cent. higher than a year ago, and 4.6 per cent. higher than two years ago. Their total values average about 3.8 per cent. higher than a year ago, and 7.6 per cent. higher than two years ago.

EXPORTS.

"The value of the agricultural exports of domestic production in the fiscal year 1913, was $1,123,021,469, an amount which has not before been equaled. The re-exports, otherwise called the exports of foreign agricultural products, are estimated at $12,-

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Uncle Sam's Truck Well Laden.

Going to market.

In the past year, according to Department of Agriculture figures, the products of the United States farms amounted to ten billion dollars. Here the artist has undertaken to give a conception of billions.

Pass Christian.

WILSON WORSTS DOCTOR IN A GAME OF GOLF.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

PASS CHRISTIAN (Miss.) Dec. 29.—President Wilson played eighteen holes of golf today for the first time in many weeks. He made some of the holes under bogey and defeated his opponent, Dr. Cary T. Grayson, U.S.N.—something he rarely does.

A half-dozen youngsters clambered on the running board of the President's automobile when it entered the golf grounds and engaged in a free-for-all fight for possession of his golf clubs. The President laughed heartily as he leaned out and separated the contestants, while one of the secret service men told the boys if they did not behave and take their turns each day they would not be permitted to caddy for Mr. Wilson. After that a truce was declared.

After the golf game, the President spent the rest of the day indoors, sleeping during the afternoon.

"The President is mending slowly," Dr. Grayson said today. "His grip and cold have entirely left him now but what he needs is a rest from work and some exercise."

The President is receiving many invitations to attend social functions, but is declining them all.

Wreck.

WATER RISING IN HOLD OF THE STEAMER TASMAN.

[BY CABLE AND A. P. TO THE TIMES.]

MELBOURNE (Australia.) Dec. 29.—A wireless message received at noon from the steamer Tasman, ashore in the gulf of Papua, reported fifteen feet of water in the hold and gaining rapidly. At that hour the steamers which had been dispatched to the assistance of the Tasman had not arrived. It is considered possible that the Tasman will be a total wreck.

In addition to Mme. Lillian Nordica, Alva Adams, former Governor of Colorado, and Thomas G. Stallsmith of California, previously mentioned in the dispatches as passengers, Maj. Sydney A. Cloman, a member of the Panama-Pacific exposition commissioners and ex-military attache at London, is aboard the vessel.

Irreverent.

YOUNG AMERICANS PERT DECLARES CHICAGO JEW.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 29.—What is being done to spread Jewish idealism among Jewish students in the leading universities throughout the country was a special theme at tonight's session of the Jewish Chautauqua Society. Professors and students from many universities where the Chautauqua has established courses presented addresses in which they showed what had been accomplished and explained the need of further extension along similar lines.

Israel Cowen of Chicago, former president of the society, presided. He called attention to the "disrespect and irreverence common among the American younger folk."

"In many cases," he added, "it almost borders on contempt, and is responsible for a great deal of indifference to the laws of the land."

Simon Wolf of Washington made a plea to the society to federate all the Jewish cultural organizations in the land "for the purpose of checking the spread of race prejudice in the country." He said that from this city last week were sent circulars to all Senators and Representatives in Washington, "denouncing the Jews of America and heaping maledictions upon the entire people and stirring up race hatred against them."

FISHING SCHOONER WRECKED.

VANCOUVER (B. C.) Dec. 29.—[By A. P. Night Wire.] The Vancouver fishing schooner G. R. Hughes was wrecked in a gale Christmas Eve on Secretary Point, Hope Island, B. C., and sank in deep water. The crew of thirteen arrived today on the steamer Henrietta.

Cinderella.

PUTS SLIPPERS IN HOTEL SAFE.

LUCKY BALDWIN'S DAUGHTER TAKES NO CHANCES.

Diamond-Covered Footwear of Mrs. Stocker Guarded by Steel Walls at San Francisco—Her Husband Is Afraid to Go Out on Account of Bandits.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SAN FRANCISCO BUREAU OF THE TIMES, Dec. 29.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Steel walls a foot thick, an electric alarm system guaranteed burglar-proof, and a corps of trusty cashiers and hotel clerks are considered necessary by Mrs. Clara Baldwin Stocker to protect her $10,000 diamond slippers, the only ones of their kind in existence. When Mrs. Stocker and her gems, her maids and her husband arrived here this morning in her private car "California" and went to the St. Francis, this modern diamond queen unpacked the precious "tootsies" from a wrist-bag and sent them down to the hotel safe by the faithful Mr. Stocker. They were put into the strong box amid much gold and silver.

"We can't take a chance on them," remarked Pere Stocker as he saw the great steel doors swing shut.

The Stockers are here for San Francisco's New Year festivities.

After disposing of the footwear the favorite daughter of the late "Lucky" Baldwin opened her mail. It included about 100 begging letters, in which the authors asked for everything from $1,000,000 to her purest diamond.

Meanwhile Stocker wandered about the lobby of the hotel never going far away from the suite on the seventh floor.

Why?

Because he says he is afraid to. He is fearful, he says, lest some bold bandit knock him down and take that great sparkling diamond he wears on his little finger. At the time of his last visit here, he said, he "was afraid to go out much alone, because there had been so much publicity about the diamonds he was afraid of being robbed."

FOR GAYNOR MEMORIAL.

Contributions Amounting to Over Seven Thousand Dollars Have Been Collected at New York.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 29.—Mayor Kline announced yesterday that $7236.80 had been given to the Mayor Gaynor Memorial Association toward a monument to the late Mayor. The list of contributors includes J. J. Morgan, Henry W. Taft, T. P. Shonts, Andrew Carnegie and Mayor Kine, each of whom gave $100. One contribution of $5 was made up of pennies from 500 school children.

Sophrosyne.

EXTENSION OF LIFE.

Taft Enlists in the New Work.

Idea Borrowed from China Made the Basis of the Movement.

"You Pay the Doctor to Keep You Well" from This Date Onward.

Col. Gorgas to Be the Chief Counsellor of the Institute.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK BUREAU OF THE TIMES, Dec. 29.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] To prolong the span of human life, the Life Extension Institute was incorporated at Albany today. It purposes to establish bureaus in every big city in the United States. Former President William H. Taft is the chairman of its board of directors and Col. William C. Gorgas will be chief counsellor on sanitation and hygiene.

The institute will act not only for life insurance companies, but for individuals as well. Any person, whether a policy holder in a concern, subscribing to the service of the institute, or an outside individual, may have an expert examination made of his physical condition. A fee will be charged except in the case of policy holders. After the examination the applicant will be sent to his family physician if there are any repairs or readjustments to be made in the human machine.

"It must be confessed," said one of the founders of the institute today, "that we owe a debt to the Chinese for the plan. There, you know, doctors are paid only while their patients remain well and as soon as illness occurs their fees are cut off."

Dr. Eugene Lyman Fisk, who is to be medical director of the institute, has done work along similar lines. He is convinced that examination will detect many slight impairments which would not attract the attention of the average man but which would be calculated to develop into serious illnesses.

The institute plans to make arrangements which schools, industrial establishments and clubs, and will cooperate in all movements for public health such as the campaign against tuberculosis, the eugenics movement, the social hygiene movement, and the public health department. It will establish laboratories with its bureaus in all the larger cities.

Persons who have furnished the capital for the institute have agreed that two-thirds of any profits which may be earned above 5 per cent. on the money invested shall be devoted to extending its public usefulness.

A bulletin from Prof. Irving Fisher of Yale University states that the institute hopes to "steer a scientific course between the Scylla of foolish feds which beguile the unwary, and the Charybdis of conventional ways of living which most of us accept blindly because others have accepted them before us."

The central office of the organization will be in New York City.

SPECIAL SEX LECTURES.

Women Outnumber the Men Four to One in the Audiences in the Chicago Public Schools.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CHICAGO, Dec. 29.—Sex hygiene lectures were delivered to 21,534 public pupils in hygiene schools and normal colleges here in November, according to the report of Mrs. Ella Flagg Young, superintendent of schools, made public today. Two hundred and thirty pupils, 1.06 per cent. of the membership, were excused on protests of their parents that they objected to the lectures.

Mrs. Young expressed a belief that the lectures were a success although she said she was not yet ready for a plan to extend the course to the elementary schools.

Women outnumbered the men in the special sex lectures delivered to adults in the schools. The attendance records showed 2302 women attended compared with 670 men.

NEW YORK GRAFT.

Contractor Swears His Pay for Oiling a State Road Was Increased so He Could Give $300 to Tammany.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 29.—Dist.-Atty. Whitman adduced evidence today at his Joe Doe inquiry into State highway graft of alleged crimes committed in Ulster and Monroe counties and announced that he would turn the evidence over to James W. Osborne, Gov. Glynn's special graft investigator, and to the District Attorneys of those counties for prosecution.

The evidence of alleged crime in Monroe county consisted of an affidavit by Frank W. Truesdale of Greece, that the price he and his partner received for a State contract for oiling a road had been increased to permit them to contribute $300 to the Democratic State Committee; that in Ulster county consisted of testimony by Miss Mary Diamond, stenographer, that she had been carried on the payrolls of the highway department as a day laborer and that her signature on a voucher for her pay had been forged and part of her pay withheld. Evidence also was adduced to show that payrolls for State road work in Ulster count; been padded.

Famine.

LIVE ON BARK FOR A MONTH.

Poor of the Choix District Barely Sustain Life.

Red Cross Hurries Supplies to Stricken Region.

Gen. Carranza Decides Not to Reinforce Villa.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

HERMOSILLO (Son., Mex.) Dec. 29.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Additional information regarding the report that more than a thousand families are dying of starvation in the Choix district of Sinaloa was furnished to the Red Cross today by E. A. Baylis, a wealthy mining operator of Batopilas, who escaped over the mountains after the last morsel of food had been consumed. The poor of the district have had no food of any kind except herbs and barks during the last month, the mining man asserts, and unless immediate aid is rendered several hundred more victims will probably die.

"The entire corn crop was burned up by lack of rains and hot winds, and then the bean crop failed," said Baylis. "All of the American owned mines, including the Uvas de Oro, Rio Plata, Australian, and Glover properties, were compelled to close down owing to the lack of transportation facilities. Our pack animals were taken by one side or the other and about every two weeks the soldiers from the south would make a raid, carrying away available articles of value. For this reason the peons were left not only without food but also without clothing as well, and there is not a single person left in the district who is not suffering from hunger."

DISEASE RAMPANT.

Baylis said that even the domestic animals had disappeared and that the people were afflicted with some frightful disease as the result of deprivation. He will cross the border at Nogales and return to his home in El Paso until mining operations can be resumed.

Members of the consular service under the direction of Consul Simpich of Nogales, Sonora, decided today to send the Red Cross supplies to the town of Vaca, from which point they will be distributed through the famine stricken territory.

Orders emanating fro marmy headquarters today indicate that all attempts to "aid" Gen. Villa in Chihuahua have been abandoned and it is now certain that Gen. Carranza will try to strengthen himself on the west coast regardless of the future plans of the Chihuahua commander. To this end Gen Juan Cabral has been recalled from Cananea, where he was sent to open the road east in anticipation of Gen. Carranza's journey. He will arrive here tomorrow morning and will aid in the reduction of Guaymas, which is now recognised as the next important movement.

The Constitutionalists are confident that they will be able to defeat Ojeda this time and lively fighting is expected within the next week or two. Although no armistice exists, it is believed unlikely that actual fighting will take place until after the holidays.

CURRENCY QUESTION.

Acting on information said to have been received from Mexico City, the Constitutionalists posted notices today declaring that the currency of six well-known banking institutions was worthless owing to alleged overissue of circulating medium. Tonight all stores and other places of business contain placards to the effect that notes of the Banks of Londres y Mexico, Nuevo Leon, Asiatica Caliente, Jalisco, Minero de Chihuahua and the Occidental of Mazatlan would no longer be accepted in Constitutionalist territory at any price. The new Constitutionalist money which was quoted at two-seventy, has advanced to two-sixty for one dollar gold. This places this money on a parity with the funds of the Mexic City institutions. It is promised that three million gold will be forthcoming January 15 to guarantee the fiat bills which are now the only ones in circulation here, except the notes issued by the State of Sonora.

Business men and mining operaters have promised to reopen their establishments as soon as Gen. Carranza can guarantee the safety of their properties and guard against seizure by the Federals. This is said to have caused Gen. Carranza "to concentrate his efforts along the west coast until the Federals have been driven out. Nothing is now known here of Gen. Villa's plans for the future.

Final Stand.

FEAR FORCE AT OJINAGA.

REBELS SLOW IN CLOSING IN ON NUEVO LAREDO.

If Successful There the Constitutionalists Expect an Attack from the Federal Force that Recently Left Chihuahua—Renewed Activity of the Insurgents Is Reported.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 29.—Official advices reached the State Department today of renewed insurgent activity in northeastern Mexico with the announced purpose of clearing out the Federals from the whole northern tier of Mexican states. Tonight the Constitutionalist forces were reported as closing in upon Nueve Laredo, but the understanding is that if the campaign in that quarter is successful it will be followed by an attack by the force on Ojinaga, where the remnant of the Federal garrison of Chihuahua has taken its final stand.

At Nuevo Laredo the Federals have 1200 men with machine guns. Closing in upon them is a force of 5000 insurgents, 3000 under command of Gen. Jesus Carranza, brother of Gov. Venustiano Carranza, the present head of the Consittutional party, and 2000 under Gen. Gonzales.

As there seems no avenue of retreat for the Fedral garrison, they must either defeat their enemy in a frontal attack or cross the international line into the American town of Laredo to be disarmed and interned. In the Mexican city of Nuevo Laredo are nine Americans, besides Shelby J. Theriot, the American Vice-Consul, and there are twenty-one Americans outside the city in this consular district.

It was said today at the War Department that while efforts would be made by the commander of the American troops at Laredo, Tex., to keep spectators away from the border in the events of actual hostilities, the general order to the American troops still stands to return any fire of bullets from across the line if they are satisfied that the firing by Mexicans is intentional.

Belated advices from Durango are to the effect that Constitutional forces now occupy Gomez Palacio and Laredo. Before the abandonment of Torreon, the revolutionists are said to have moved large quantities of provisions, consequently food supplies are short. About fifty Americans remain in Torreon. Their lodging and feeding offer a difficult problem and serious trouble is feared.

The American embassy in the City of Mexico has been assured by the manager of the Bank of London and Mexico that the institution is solvent and that on January 2 it will meet all obligations.

Stories of the suffering from famine of the people in northern Sinaloa continue to reach the State Department and have been turned over to the Red Cross, which will extend relief. Dr. Menzendieck of Agua Caliente de Baca reports that on October 25, owing to the drought, inhabitants were not only starving but were without clothing, the well-to-do as well as the poor, so that the women and girls were obliged to hide in their shacks absolutely naked and all were suffering from exposure during the cold nights. He predicted even worse conditions at the expiration of two months, or about the present date.

NEARLY every one is charmed with the exquisite beauty of the country surrounding Tustin.

RESULTS FOR ADVERTISERS.

As Usual, Enabled "The Times" to Lead Every Other Newspaper in the World in the Volume of Advertising Printed in November.

The community-of-interest spirit that impels readers of a newspaper to patronize those who use its advertising columns is probably more characteristic of Times' subscribers than those of any other newspaper in the world. This feature of The Times' circulation obtains for its advertising announcements the same consideration that its news items receive, and it makes each copy of the paper a selling force—a force that moves goods and lessens the cost of distribution.

The Times excels all its local contemporaries not only in the permanence, quality and purchasing power of its circulation, but in quantity as well. That it does not pad or exaggerate its circulation is attested by the sworn statement published in every issue, and that it is an advertising medium of rare merit is indicated by the fact that it regularly serves the largest number of advertisers, also more large advertisers than any other newspaper on the Pacific Coast.

The Times introduces its advertisers to the most desirable class of consumers under the most favorable auspices, and you cannot go wrong by concentrating your advertising in its columns.

The first of the following tables contains the figures of the paper making the best record last month in the cities named, and the second table shows the actual number of inches of advertising printed in each of the six Los Angeles papers during the same month.

Advertising in November, 1913.

	Columns.
THE TIMES	4516
Detroit News-Tribune	4084
Chicago Tribune	3922
St. Louis Post-Dispatch	3577
New York World	3554
Seattle Times	3331
Columbus (O.) Dispatch	3017
Cleveland Plain Dealer	2989
Minneapolis Tribune	2944
Portland Oregonian	2594
Baltimore American	2562
Buffalo News	1794

Advertising in Los Angeles Newspapers in November, 1913.

	Inches.
FIRST, THE TIMES	96,771
Second, Morning Newspaper	80,464
Third, Morning Newspaper	39,878
First, Evening Newspaper	51,128
Second, Evening Newspaper	46,307
Third, Evening Newspaper	18,300

Remember, THE ADVERTISER NEEDS IT—EVERYBODY READS IT.

Mexico.

(Continued from First Page.)

Maj. McNamee that bunches of Federals ranging from a dozen to several hundred, had crossed, and cavalry has been sent in search of them.

The reports from across the river were that Gen. Orozco and Gen. Ynez Salazar, commanding volunteers, made desperate efforts to keep the army intact, standing with drawn revolvers to shoot and soldiers who mutinied.

Gen. Salvador Mercado, who was relieved of command in favor of Castro, and who appeared on the Mexican side after he had been reported to have crossed the river, was in Ojinaga.

Fighting south of Ojinaga ceased about 10 o'clock tonight, after it had been in progress several hours.

When the approach of the rebel army was definitely known, Gen. Salazar is said to have forced his men to go out to fight, saying he would summarily execute them if they did not. This was given as the reason for the scattering of the forces.

Such of the Federals as were too seriously wounded to cross were cared for by Dr. Burnside, United States army surgeon. They said a number of the Federals had been killed a La Mulato and at La Mula Pass, where the outposts had attempted vainly to keep back the rebel advance.

Maj. McNamee said he would not take any prisoners unless it was absolutely necessary, but would insist on the Federals going back to their own side. The Red Cross Society arranged to give aid to the wounded soldiers in Ojinaga.

None of the Federals' generals crossed. They were said to have put up a hard fight, but they received poor support from the soldiery.

WOMEN, CHILDREN HELD FOR RANSOM.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

JUAREZ (Mex.) Dec. 29.—Rich Mexican families which were reported to have been held by Gen. Villa at Chihuahua for ransoms began today to arrive at the border. Relatives of Enrique C. Creel, Mexican Ambassador to the United States under President Diaz, were among the arrivals. Some of the women members of Luis Terrazas's family also came.

It was reported that Villa was still holding Mexican women and children for the payment of ransoms. Luis Terrazas, Jr., was still confined in jail on a demand for $250,000 gold. Negotiations for the payment of that sum were under way, but the father, who is in El Paso, Tex., has been endeavoring to procure a guarantee that his son would be released.

Rebels received a report that Col. Federico Montes, with eighty Federal artillerymen, gatling guns, horses, and 50,000 rounds of ammunition, had surrendered to the rebels near Monterey. Montes figured last February in an attempt to arrest President Madero in Mexico City. He killed a Huerta conspirator in the defense of Madero. He was won over by Huerta, but he told the rebels that he had been seeking a chance to join them.

YOUNGER THAN WILSON.

But Venustiano Carranza Celebrates His Birthday a Day After the United States President.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CARBO (Son., Mex.) Dec. 29.—The 55th birthday of Gen. Venustiano Carranza today, and the Feast of the Innocents, Mexican "April Fool's Day," yesterday, made a combination which led the Constitutionalist commander-in-chief to forsake Hermosillo and his provisional capital today and celebrate the anniversary of his birth in this quiet town.

But few people in Hermosillo knew that a special train had taken Carranza and a party of his staff officers to Carbo early today. The bearded "first chief" of the revolution sought to avoid the banquets and balls which he feared would be tendered him at the Sonora State capital. He preferred to be entertained in a more humble way by the people of this town of 300 inhabitants, located midway between Hermosillo and the American border.

It was said that his visit here had no other significance, and that the party would return tomorrow to the provisional capital. Gen. Carranza, himself a farmer, gloried in the domestic cheese and local butter served in the only restaurant which the town could boast.

Tonight he attended a ball at which the village belles and not the beauties who feature in the social life of the capital were the chief figures of interest. Hermosillo has had many holiday functions.

While here Carranza is in close touch with his officers at Hermosillo and with the situation throughout the republic.

Much interest is being taken in the official report from Nuevo Leon that Col. Frederico Montes of the Federal artillery at Monterey, with fourteen machine guns and ample quantities of ammunition, mules and supplies, had deserted to the Constitutionalist side. The capitulation of Monterey is predicted.

THE COMEDY OF WAR.

Mexican Disguised as Chinaman Escapes—American Negro in Rebel Army Kills Another Recruit.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

JUAREZ (Mex.) Dec. 29.—One Mexican refugee came through today disguised as a Chinaman.

The soldier life of Arthur Slaughter, an American negro, ended abruptly today in Juarez when he was shot ten hours after he enlisted in the rebel army. Slaughter, with four other negroes, donned a uniform and took a gun and was stationed in the bullring. He decided he wanted some coffee and on going out ignored the halt of a sentry. In an encounter Slaughter fired, and the sentry, also an American negro, fired back, killing Slaughter instantly.

John J. McDevitt,

Who leaves Wilkesbarre because he cannot spend money fast enough there.

Holocaust.

ANOTHER BID FOR FAME.

"MILLIONAIRE-FOR-A-DAY" HAS MONEY TO BURN.

John J. McDevitt, Once Broke, but Now Flush, Will Take a Statue of Himself to Washington on a Special Train and Offer It to Congress Hall of Notables.

[Special Correspondence of The Times.]

WILKESBARRE (Pa.) Dec. 24.—John J. McDevitt's ship has come in, and the "millionaire-for-a-day," who spent $2500 for the "honor" and went broke, is again in possession of considerable money. Just where he got it is a mystery, but John J. has $2500 in his pockets and he declares this is more money than he can conveniently spend in Wilkesbarre.

The money is burning holes in McDevitt's pockets, and the "millionaire-for-a-day," who also answers to the name of "Butch," has decided to charter a special train of six cars and make a trip to Washington, D. C., taking along a statue of himself, which he will offer Congress and ask to have placed in Statuary Hall in the Capitol. The statue was carved in New York and the sculptor has been paid in full.

McDevitt plans to leave in January. The train will be made up of a parlor car, a sleeper and a diner, exclusively for McDevitt; a special car for the statue and men hired to guard it; a parlor car for newspaper men and a special diner for them.

"Butch" will hire a retinue of servants, and it is his plan to go from here to New York, thence by way of Philadelphia to Washington.

Before leaving "Butch" will write Speaker Champ Clark that he is on his way to offer Congress the McDevitt statue, and whether the Speaker agrees or not to accept the offer makes no difference to "Butch," for he will make the trip anyway.

SPUR TRACK SERVICE.

"Espee" and Santa Fe Defend Charges They Assess in Los Angeles and San Francisco.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 29.—The rights of railroads to charge extra compensation for the delivery of cars on industrial or spur tracks in cities, was defended today in a brief filed in the Supreme Court of the United States by attorneys for the Southern Pacific and the Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe railways. The railways are seeking to have the court uphold the commerce court in enjoining an order of the Interstate Commerce Commission which held invalid a charge of $2.50 for this service in San Francisco and Los Angeles. The railways contend that the waiving of the right to charge for the service in other cities, because of competition, does not destroy the right to charge in case the railways deem such a course advisable.

HUNT FOR RADIUM.

Secretary of Interior Would Withdraw all Land Suspected of Harboring Any of the Substance.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 29.—Secretary Lane proposes to withdraw all lands of the public domain suspected of containing radium, that these deposits may be secured for the general good and not become the subject of private speculation.

Mr. Lane outlined his plan today in a letter to Chairman Foster of the House Mines Committee, urging immediate passage of a joint Congressional resolution to empower President Wilson to make the withdrawal.

French Bishop Forbids Tango.

BAR LE DUC (France) Dec. 29.—[By Cable and A. P.] The Bishop of Verdun issued a pastoral letter today forbidding the dancing of the tango in his diocese.

Pasteur Institute.

RINGS DOWN THE CURTAIN ON VACCINE AND SERUMS.

[BY CABLE AND A. P. TO THE TIMES.]

PARIS, Dec. 29.—Announcement has been made by Dr. Pierre Roux, director of the Pasteur Institute, to the Academy of Sciences, of a discovery of F. Marino, a bacteriologist at the institute, which it is believed may entirely alter the aspect of the quest for a cure for tuberculosis.

Marino observed that all other germs which multiply rapidly together die after the elapse of ten or fifteen days if cultivated with tubercle bacilli. His experiments have established that cultures of tubercle bacilli within that period give off a poison fatal to any form of microbe. A few drops of a forty to fifty-day tubercle culture added to any culture medium prevents the propagation of other germs.

This toxin, which has been isolated, has characteristics different from other toxins, such as those from diphtheria and tetanus. It resists the action of heat and is neutralized neither by anti-tuberculosis serum nor ordinary blood serum. If anything, it is less affected by the former than by the latter.

Further experimentation has shown that this toxin, when injected into animals, forms no counter poison, and it is deduced that because of this, both vaccines and serums intended for the cure of tuberculosis are without effect.

Foreign.

BLAMES SEN FOR REVOLT.

Yuan Says Former President Would Divide Nation.

Regiments Under Gen. Yank Seize Tali-Fu.

Proclaim Independence of Far-Off Province.

[BY CABLE AND A. P. TO THE TIMES.]

PEKING, Dec. 29.—In announcing the recapture of Tali-Fu, President Yuan Shi Kai today ordered the military commanders throughout the country to inform the troops that Dr. Sun Yat Sen and his associates are attempting from abroad to partition the nation while the people of China desire union.

A presidential mandate issued today deplores the sufferings with which inner Mongolia has been afflicted and orders the Chinese commanders to permit the Mongols to reoccupy the lands and give them financial and other assistance. The northern Mongols having withdrawn since the Chino-Russian agreement, the mandate continues, it is hoped to pacify inner Mongolia by kindness.

A revolt of three regiments of the Chinese army under the leadership of Gen. Yank Hu-Pin was reported from Tali-Fu, in the far southwestern province of Yun Nan, about 100 miles from the frontier of Burma.

The soldiers on December 8 shot down their officers, raided the armory, killed a professor and several students of the Chinese College as well as a number of citizens and then proclaimed the independence of the province in the name of Dr. Sun Yat Sen, former provisional president of China.

RUTHENIANS ON TRIAL.

Plot to Incite Rebellion in Austria-Hungary Is Alleged to Have Been Financed by Russians.

[BY CABLE AND A. P. TO THE TIMES.]

BUDAPEST, Dec. 29.—The trial of ninety-four Ruthenians on the charge of inciting rebellion against the Austro-Hungarian government was begun today at Marmaros-Sziget. It is expected that the trial will last five weeks. The chief prisoner is the Russian monk, Father Alexius of Mt. Athos, whose real name is said to be Alexander Kabalyuk.

Great political interest attaches to the case, as it is alleged that the seditious movement was largely promoted and financed from Russia. Priests of Russian monasteries and Count Vladimir Bobransky, president of the Russian constitutional conservative party, and a member of the duma, are alleged to be concerned in the movement, which under the guise of a propaganda to convert the pessantry to the orthodox Greek church, caused the circulation of hundreds of thousands of foreign printed pamphlets denouncing the Emperor and the Hapsburg dynasty, with the intention of drawing the Ruthenians from their allegiance to Hungary and uniting them with Russia.

The examination of one of the accused named Vorowsuk occupied most of the day. He pleaded guilty, but said he had been misled.

SAN SEBASTIAN FIRE.

A Block of Buildings, Including a Theater and a Variety Hall, Destroyed by Flames.

[BY CABLE AND A. P. TO THE TIMES.]

SAN SEBASTIAN (Spain) Dec. 29.—A block of buildings, including a theater and variety hall and many tenement-houses, was today destroyed by fire. It was feared the military barracks would be destroyed, but the flames were extinguished before they reached that section.

No lives were lost, but three firemen and a policeman were injured. The civil governor had a narrow escape as part of a blazing roof fell.

The fire, which started in the theater, is believed to have been caused by a lighted cigarette carelessly thrown under the stage. The occupants of the tenement-houses ran into the streets in a panic and thousands of other residents passed the night out of doors.

COUNT ROCCA ACQUITTED.

Italian Nobleman Charged With Selling War Office Secrets Is Adjudged Not Guilty.

[BY CABLE AND A. P. TO THE TIMES.]

RAVENNA (Italy) Dec. 29.—Count Morozzo Della Rocca of the Italian War Office, who was arrested last July, charged with selling military secrets to Austria, was acquitted today.

The arrest of the count, which caused a sensation in military and social circles, followed disclosures made at the inquiry into the suicide a few months before of Col. Alfred Redl of the General Staff of the Eighth Army Corps of the Austrian army, who killed himself when it was discovered he had been selling Austrian military secrets to Russia.

AGED QUEEN DYING.

Widow of King Oscar II of Sweden Is Reported in a Serious Condition at Stockholm.

[BY CABLE AND A. P. TO THE TIMES.]

STOCKHOLM, Dec. 29.—Dowager Queen Sophia of Sweden, widow of King Oscar II, is reported to be dying. Her health has been causing anxiety for several years. The death of the King affected her greatly, and she has been living in retirement. She is in her seventy-eighth year.

BISHOP BANG DEAD.

Norwegian Primate Visited the United States in 1908 as Bearer of King Haakon's Greetings.

[BY CABLE AND A. P. TO THE TIMES.]

CHRISTIANIA (Norway) Dec. 29.—The Right Rev. Anton Christian Bang, bishop of Christiania and primate of the Norwegian church, died today. He was born in 1840.

Bishop Bang was at one time secretary of the late King Oscar of Sweden when Norway and Sweden were united under one flag. He visited the United States in 1908 and called on President Roosevelt, to whom he brought personal greetings from King Haakon. Later he attended the unveiling at Minneapolis of the statue of Henrik Wergeland, which was presented by Norway to the Norsemen's Association.

Bishop Bang delivered the coronation sermon when Norway bestowed the crown on the Danish Prince Charles in 1905.

STEAMBOATS VS. RAILROADS.

New River Line Will Run Between Chicago and New Orleans.

[A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CHICAGO, Dec. 29.—Steamboats are to enter into active competition with the railroads for freight and passenger traffic between Chicago and Kansas City, Mo., next spring, according to announcement which reached Chicago merchants today. The same announcement stated that boats would ply between this city and New Orleans, stopping at the principal transfer points on the way.

Ten Billion Dollars.

(Continued from First Page.)

000,000. The so-called balance of trade in agricultural products is in favor of the exports of domestic farm products by $296,000,000.

MEATS.

"During the fiscal year of 1913 over 166,000,000 pounds of beef and its products were exported, but this quantity included only somewhat more than 7,000,000 pounds of fresh beef. The quantity of exports of beef and its products has rapidly declined from 735,000,000 pounds in 1906. The exports of pork and its products in 1913 amounted to 964,000,000 pounds, a quantity that is exceeded by the average for the preceding twenty-three years, and with three exceptions by the exports of each of these years.

"The census reports indicate that in 1909 the total amount of farm wages paid to farm laborers was $651,611,287. This is almost double the cost in 1899, which was $357,391,930.

CALIFORNIA FRUITS.

"Special reports concerning the subtropical fruits of Southern California and Florida indicate, in the form of percentages, the estimated production of these fruits compared with a full crop. In California, the olive crop of 1913 was 80 per cent. of a full crop, the figures for 1912 and 1911 being respectively 64 per cent. and 87 per cent. Table grapes were produced in California to the extent of 82 per cent. of a full crop in 1913, as compared with 89 per cent. in 1912 and 85 per cent. in 1911. The orange crop of California in 1913 was 80 per cent. of a full crop—a low production, due to adverse weather. In Florida the orange crop of 1913 was 100 or in other words, it was equal to a full crop in comparison with which the crop of 1912 is represented by 125 and the crop of 1911 by 66.

"The lemon crop of California suffered with the oranges and amounted to only 57 per cent. of a full crop in 1913, against which is 95 per cent. of a full crop in 1912 and 92 per cent. in 1911. The grape fruit crop of Florida in 1913 was 74 per cent. of a full crop compared with 105 per cent. in 1912, and 57 per cent. in 1911. In Florida, 92 per cent. of a full crop was the production of limes in 1912, compared with 75 per cent. of a full crop in 1912, and also in 1911."

SCHMIDT JURY STILL OUT.

Disagreement Is Indicated at Midnight When They Reported Inability to Reach a Verdict.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 29.—A possible disagreement of the jury in the case of Hans Schmidt, the German priest who has been on trial three weeks on the charge of murdering Anna Aumuller, was indicated at midnight tonight. At that hour the jury had been out nearly ten hours. They reported to Judge Warren W. Foster of the Court of General Sessions that they had been unable to reach a verdict. The judge directed them that in the interests of justice they ought to deliberate further, and the jury returned again.

TO DEVELOP COMMERCE.

Series of Information Bureaus Are to Be Established in Principal Cities of the Country.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 29.—As a further move to carry out his plans for the development of American trade with foreign countries by a reorganization of the bureau of foreign and domestic commerce, Secretary Redfield of the Department of Commerce let it be known today that a series of information bureaus are to be established in the principal cities of the country. The purpose will be to bring American business men into closer touch with markets abroad. Bureaus have already been established in New York City and others are shortly to be located in Chicago, New Orleans and San Francisco.

Bon Voyage.

SHIPLOAD OF SHRINERS.

They Will Sail from Seattle Today for Manila.

Members to Be Initiated in Island Capital.

Side Trips to Yokohama and Other Places.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SEATTLE (Wash.) Dec. 29.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] More than 150 Shriners from a score of eastern cities are in Seattle today to form a party of the 215 nobles who will leave tomorrow on the steamship Minnesota for Manila on a 12,000-mile pilgrimage, the longest special trip ever attempted by the order.

The big steamer is decorated with the colors of the brotherhood and its officers are pledged to their service.

A score of Seattle Shriners will take the long pilgrimage. Hundreds of local members will see their brethren off at the wharf tomorrow.

The eastern delegation arrived last night in two special cars. They were entertained this afternoon by an automobile tour of the city and a reception and ball tonight at the Scottish Rite Temple.

The trip will last ten weeks and will include visits to Yokohama, Kobe, the Inland Sea, Nagasaki and Hongkong, as well as Manila, P. I. Several hundred candidates for Shrine degrees will be initiated at Manila. This will be the first Shrine ceremony on oriental soil, it is said.

Every berth on the Minnesota is taken by Shriners, their families and prospective members.

The pilgrims will be marshaled by Illustrious Potentate John Rea Thompson of the Seattle Nile Temple.

Portland, Tacoma and Spokane are represented by fifty Shriners; Chicago, Cincinnati and other central eastern cities have contributed their leading members.

EVERYBODY'S RELIGION.

Former Stable Is Opened as a Church in New York for Followers of All Faiths.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 29.—A church in which followers of every religion will be free to worship on terms of friendly equality opened its doors here for the first time last night. The Daily Temple is the name of the new church and as is suggested by it, the doors will be open at all times. The structure, formerly a stable, is small, the furnishings are simple and on the whitewashed walls are hung several printed texts of universal appeal. Seats are provided for 200 worshipers. The opening exercises were as unpretentious as the building itself. There was no music, nor was there any formal dedication ceremony. First a young Hindu of the name of Asheryo, a graduate of Columbia University, read from the teachings of Buddha with comments showing the parallels between the Buddhist faith and that of other races and times.

He was followed by W. T. Wei, a Chinese journalist student at Columbia, who read and commented upon passages from the writings of Confucius. Then Mrs. H. E. Creighton, secretary to Mrs. Elizabeth Kopp, the patroness of the temple, read a passage from Isaiah. Next Wesni Eyoub, a young Turkish student at Columbia, read a passage from the Khoran.

Prof. Carl H. Bjerregard, librarian of the New York Public Library, delivered a brief lecture on "What Constitutes a Great Teacher?" with especial reference to the careers of Moses, Isaiah, Confucius, Buddha, Mahomet and Jesus Christ.

THREE KILLED; FOUR INJURED.

BICKNELL (Ind.) Dec. 29.—[By A. P. Night Wire.] Three men were killed and four injured today at the Indian Creek coal mine, four miles south of here, in a gas explosion.

It is a mistake to suffer from rheumatism, as the pain can always be relieved, and in most cases a cure effected by applying Chamberlain's Pain Balm.—[Advertisement.

In the School Room Eyes are Irritated by Chalk Dust, and Eye Strain Induced by Poor Systems of Lighting. Apply Murine to Relieve Children's Eyes to Restore Normal Condition.

ARROWHEAD HOTEL steam heated. Fine table board. Pure air and water. Sanitary conditions perfect.

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The first of the new "sixes" were tested in the Alleghenies. Up grade and down—in wheel-deep snow, driving rain and scorching heat—over sand, rocks and mire—each one was pounded day and night. Everything possible was done to "down" the

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but it was absolutely roadworthy. This grilling test was, however, but one link in a long chain of others. While demonstrating the "six" we will gladly tell you of the rest—and you will wonder why the price is only $2325. Why not today?

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After the Facts.

BUT TWO DIFFER WITH THE SCOR

Woman and Child Say Th Saw the Button.

Calumet Fiend Who Cri Fire Unidentified.

Investigation by Congress Under Discussion.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CALUMET (Mich.) Dec. 29.—O of a score or more of witnesses, t persons testified today before a Co mer's jury that the man who caus the Christmas eve disaster here wo a white button similar to the bad of the Citizens' Alliance. Imm diately after adjournment of th hearing, N. Hilton, the Denver at torney in charge of the Western Fed eration of Miners' legal interests, an nounced that further development o this phase of the inquiry would b attempted tomorrow.

The federation's lawyer did no comment upon the fact that the president and a half-dozen member of the Women's Auxiliary of the fed eration swore that they saw no ir signia on the man and that union members who stood in the vestibule of Italian Hall for an hour before the panic started said the alarm came from within the hall and no person wearing such a button had passed them.

In the opinion of Anthony Lucas, prosecuting attorney of Houghton county, who conducted the examination of witnesses, facts fairly well established today were that an excitable member of the audience raised the cry, that there was no actual fire in the hall and that the doors were open and the stairway clear when the panic started.

"All we want is a finding based upon facts developed at the inquest," said Mr. Hilton. "The identity of the miscreant who started the mad rush for the stairs is of paramount importance and we intend to do what we can to clear this up."

The testimony as to the button was given by two witnesses. John Barcar, who gave his age as 12 and said he had lost a sister in the disaster, excitedly told of having seen a man muffled to his eyes in a fur-collared overcoat enter the hall. "He hollered 'Fire' and then ran out," the boy said. "I ran out too. He had an Alliance button on his coat."

The other witness, Mrs. John H. Keski, said she was twenty feet from the man, who wore a dark blue coat on which was a white button. "It looked like an Alliance button," she said. "But I was too far away to read it."

One or two witnesses said there had been some confusion in the hall before the panic started, but women in charge of the celebration denied this.

Virtually all witnesses agreed that the first alarm came from a man, that it was taken up at once in different parts of the hall and that the rush for the exit was instantaneous.

UNDER DISCUSSION.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 29.—Congressional investigation of the Calumet copper mine strike was discussed at informal conferences between members of the House Rules Committee today, and individual expressions indicated that those present agreed that no Federal question was involved.

THE BULLET EXTRACTED.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CHICAGO, Dec. 29.—The bullet in Moyer's back was removed today by surgeons. It was found to be a bullet such as those used in automatic pistols and was imbedded half an inch from his spine. Moyer bore the operation well.

"THE READY LETTER WRITER."

Senator Martine Accepts His Verdict That Miners in Calumet Have Been Brutally Treated.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 29.—Senator Martine of New Jersey conferred today with Solicitor-General Davis of the Department of Justice regarding Federal investigation which he had asked for into the Calumet strike situation. Mr. Davis told the Senator he would advise him later as to the statutory situation in the matter.

When Atty.-Gen. McReynolds returned today he found a letter awaiting him from Senator Martine, asking for immediate investigation of reported conditions in the strike region. The Senator asserted tonight he had been keeping in touch with affairs in the Michigan copper region having had letters from a number of persons there. The treatment of the miners, he said, had been "brutal and outrageous." Before deciding what step he will take after Congress reassembles, Senator Martine said he would consult with some of his colleagues, Senators Kern, Borah and others.

MOYER'S DEPORTATION.

Both Sides Issue Statements in Calumet—Mining Company Official Denies He Had Part in It.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CALUMET (Mich.) Dec. 29.—Little progress was made today toward solving the circumstances attending the deportation of Charles H. Moyer, president of the Western Federation of Miners last Friday night. Union attorneys were busy with the Coroner's inquiry into the Italian hall disaster, and county officials investigating the case had little to give out.

Interest centered in the untangling of statements bringing the name of James MacNaughton, general manager of the Calumet and Hecla Mining Company, into the case. O. N. Hilton, chief counsel for the federation, and Mr. MacNaughton each issued statements.

"Mr. Moyer told me in Chicago that he was thoroughly convinced in his own mind that the man in question was James MacNaughton," Mr. Hilton said. "He did not say that he knew MacNaughton personally, and I believe the statement that Mr. Moyer claimed to have met the general manager of the Calumet and Hecla company in conferences is based on misapprehension.

"What Mr. Moyer told me was substantially this: That when the mob had dragged him to the station in Houghton, a man who physically answered the description of MacNaughton alighted from an automobile, cursed him and searched his pockets, taking two wallets, one containing money, which was returned, and the

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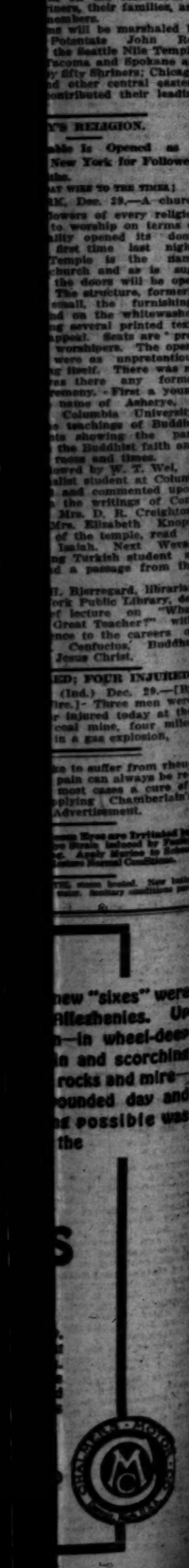

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BUT TWO DIFFER WITH THE SCORE.

Woman and Child Say They Saw the Button.

Calumet Fiend Who Cried Fire Unidentified.

Investigation by Congress Is Under Discussion.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]
CALUMET (Mich.) Dec. 29.—Out of a score or more of witnesses, two persons testified today before a Coroner's jury that the man who caused the Christmas eve disaster here wore a white button similar to the badge of the Citizens' Alliance. Immediately after adjournment of the hearing, N. Hilton, the Denver attorney in charge of the Western Federation of Miners' legal interests, announced that further development of this phase of the inquiry would be prompted tomorrow.

The federation's lawyer did not comment upon the fact that the president and a half-dozen members of the Women's Auxiliary of the federation swore that they saw no Citizens' on the man and that union members who stood in the vestibule of Italian Hall for an hour before the panic started said the alarm came from within the hall and no person wearing such a button had passed them.

In the opinion of Anthony Lucas, prosecuting attorney of Houghton county, who conducted the examination of witnesses, facts fairly well established today were that an excitable member of the audience raised the cry, that there was no actual fire in the hall and that the doors were open and the stairway clear when the panic started.

"All we want is a finding based upon facts developed at the inquest," said Mr. Hilton. "The identity of the miscreant who started the mad rush for the stairs is of paramount importance and we intend to do what we can to clear this up."

The testimony as to the button was given by two witnesses. John Bruce, who gave his age as 15 and said he had lost a sister in the disaster, excitedly told of having seen a man muffled to his eyes in a fur-collared overcoat enter the hall. "He hollered 'Fire' and then ran out," the boy said. "I ran out too. He had an Alliance button on his coat."

The other witness, Mrs. John H. Ikki, said she was twenty feet from the man, who wore a dark blue coat on which was a white button. "It looked like an Alliance button," she said, "but I was too far away to read it."

One or two witnesses said there had been some confusion in the hall before the panic started, but women in charge of the celebration denied this.

Virtually all witnesses agreed that the first alarm came from a man, that it was taken up at once in different parts of the hall and that the rush for the exit was instantaneous.

UNDER DISCUSSION.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE TO THE TIMES.]
WASHINGTON, Dec. 29.—Congressional investigation of the Calumet copper mine strike was discussed at informal conferences between members of the House Rules Committee today, and individual expressions indicated that those present agreed that no Federal question was involved.

THE BULLET EXTRACTED.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]
CHICAGO, Dec. 29.—The bullet in Moyer's back was removed today by surgeons. It was found to be a bullet such as those used in automatic pistols and was imbedded half an inch from his spine. Moyer bore the operation well.

"THE READY LETTER WRITER."

Senator Martine Accepts His Verdict That Miners in Calumet Have Been Brutally Treated.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]
WASHINGTON, Dec. 29.—Senator Martine of New Jersey conferred today with Solicitor-General Davis of the Department of Justice regarding Federal investigation which he had asked for into the Calumet strike situation. Mr. Davis told the Senator he would advise him later as to the statutory situation in the matter.

When Atty.-Gen. McReynolds returned today he found a letter awaiting him from Senator Martine, asking for immediate investigation of reported conditions in the strike region. The Senator asserted tonight he had been keeping in touch with affairs in the Michigan copper region, and had letters from a number of persons there. The treatment of the miners, he said, had been "brutal and outrageous." Before deciding what step he will take after Congress reassembles, Senator Martine said he would consult with some of his colleagues, Senators Kern, Borah and others.

MOYER'S DEPORTATION.

Both Sides Issue Statements in Calumet—Mining Company Official Denies He Had Part in It.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]
CALUMET (Mich.) Dec. 29.—Little progress was made today toward solving the circumstances attending the deportation of Charles H. Moyer, president of the Western Federation of Miners last Friday night. Union officials were busy with the Coroner's inquiry into the Italian hall disaster, and county officials investigating the case had little to give out. Interest centered in the untangling of statements bringing the name of James MacNaughton, general manager of the Calumet and Hecla Mining Company, into the case. O. N. Hilton, chief counsel for the federation, and Mr. MacNaughton each issued statements.

"Mr. Moyer told me in Chicago that he was thoroughly convinced in his own mind that the man in question was James MacNaughton," Mr. Hilton said. "He did not say that he knew MacNaughton personally, and I deem the statement that Mr. Moyer claimed to have met the general manager of the Calumet and Hecla company in conferences is based on misapprehension.

"What Mr. Moyer told me was substantially this: That when the mob had dragged him to the station in Hancock, a man who physically answered the description of MacNaughton alighted from an automobile, joined him and searched his pockets, taking two wallets, one containing money, which was returned, and the other holding private papers and a ten-dollar bill, which was kept.

"This man was addressed by other members of the mob as 'Jim' and wore a general air of authority that agrees with MacNaughton's personality. The man told Mr. Moyer that if he ever came back to the copper country he would hang him."

"Let me repeat that any charge made by Mr. Moyer connecting me in any way with the event at Houghton is maliciously false," said Mr. MacNaughton. "I was in Calumet all evening, calling with my wife on a friend and then accompanying him across the street from his home to a club. I should be unwilling to discuss the ridiculous charge further except for the fact that I have received telegrams from friends in other cities showing that the mis-statements have gained wide circulation. On what a flimsy basis these statements were given is evidenced by the most cursory analysis of Mr. Moyer's evidence. There are hundreds of men in this country named 'Jim,' and I am not the only tall man in the community either."

The grand jury, which is to be asked to consider the Moyer affair, will reconvene tomorrow.

Mine managers continued today to strengthen their forces of workmen at every possible point. Reports had it that several carloads of men have arrived, but these could not be substantiated. Neither was there complete confirmation of rumors that several hundred non-union men had quit their positions and left for Chicago.

HIS FILM STOLEN.

Moving Pictures of the Funeral Scenes in Calumet Mining Region Will Not be Exhibited.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]
CALUMET (Mich.) Dec. 29.—Moving pictures taken of yesterday's funeral procession probably will not be exhibited. The operator reported that his room in a hotel had been broken into and the films stolen. The case was found several blocks away, but the police said they had no clew to the details of the robbery.

Another employee of Tyomies, the Finnish Socialist paper published in Hancock, was arrested today on a warrant issued Saturday. None of the newspapermen have obtained release on bail. The editors, printers and publishers are charged with circulating false statements calculated to incite riot.

FIRE IN MONTREAL.

Despite Cold and Broken Mains the Firemen Pump Water Through Long Hose From the St. Lawrence.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]
MONTREAL (Quebec) Dec. 29.—Montreal, already facing a water famine, was obliged today to conquer a fire to save a section of the city from destruction. To this end water was pumped from the St. Lawrence River, a mile away from Ontario street and Providence Lane, the heart of the threatened district. There was only one stream besides this as the city hydrants practically are idle because of a break in the main water conduit on Christmas night.

Two three-story buildings and sixty automobiles were destroyed while the firemen were devoting their efforts to prevent the flames from reaching a 2000-gallon tank of gasoline. Dynamite was brought to the menaced district in case sufficient water could not be obtained, but was not used. One fireman was injured. The estimated property loss was nearly $300,000.

CHILDREN FOR SALE.

St. Louis Man Wants $2000 for Margaret and Half as Much for His Boy, Stephen.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]
ST. LOUIS, Dec. 29.—For sale—To whom it may concern:

"I, the undersigned, Stephen Godo, will sell my daughter, Margaret, 6 years old, for $2000, and my son, Stephen, Jr., 8 years old, for $1000, to any person who will give them a good home."

This advertisement was inserted in the local newspapers today by a widower, who is earning $10 a week as a cattle slaughterer. He says he is unable to care for the two children, but is unwilling to part with them without recompense.

ACCEPTS CALIFORNIA CALL.

The Rev. George A. Miller of Massachusetts Announces He Will go to the Universalist Church.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]
BOSTON (Mass.) Dec. 29.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The Rev. George Arthur Miller, minister of the First Universalist Church in Norwood, announced yesterday to his parish his resignation from their pulpit, which he wished to take effect the final week in January. Mr. Miller has accepted a call to the First Universalist Church of Santa Paula, Cal. He has been considering this call, with two others, for about a month. The Santa Paula church heard of Mr. Miller through Dr. C. Ellwood Nash, State superintendent of the Universalists of California, a personal friend of the Norwood clergyman.

SUES JOHN D. MARTIN.

Detective Alleges He Was Attacked by Oil Operator at Bakersfield and Permanently Injured.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]
SAN FRANCISCO BUREAU OF THE TIMES, Dec. 29.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Suit for $50,000 against John D. Martin, wealthy oil operator, was filed today in the Superior Court by Edward R. Bruce, a detective, who alleges that Martin, on January 8 of this year, at Bakersfield, brutally attacked him. The suit is the result of a war over oil land, in which Martin and others had become involved, and, according to the complaint filed by Attorney James M. Hanley, Bruce sustained severe and permanent injuries.

Bruce claims that Martin attacked him while he was sick in bed; that he weighs only 140 pounds, while Martin weighs 240; that his assailant wore heavy rings and knew they would injure Bruce; that he has been under a physician's care for two months and is permanently injured.

THE INDIAN WITH CASH.

Missionary Declares It Is no Easy Matter to Direct "Poor Lo" as a Spender.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]
PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 29.—The wealth of the Indians in Oklahoma makes it difficult for missionaries to direct them in the ways they should go, Mrs. John Markoe said today to the members of the Indian's Home Association at the Protestant Episcopal Church house. Mrs. Markoe, who presided at the meeting, in making a plea for the support of missions among the Indians, said the work has become harder because oil and coal had been discovered on the lands owned by the Indians, yielding to some of the aborigines an income of as much as $200 a month. It is difficult to direct a wise use of this money after it leaves the agent's hands, she said, owing in part to the evil influence of white neighbors.

Life's Seamy Side.

TRUNK VICTIM IS IDENTIFIED.

New York Barrel Murder Has a Parallel.

West Virginia Miner Slain in the Metropolis.

Men Who Hired a Pushcart Sought by Police.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]
NEW YORK, Dec. 29.—A murder mystery, which promises to rival the famous barrel murder of a dozen years ago, was brought today to the attention of the police when a boy notified them he had watched a trunk two men had unloaded from a pushcart and left in the gutter in Pitt street on the East Side.

When the trunk was opened, the body of a man about 40 years old, shabbily dressed and emaciated, was found in it. The body, which was still warm, was identified tonight by Joseph Malloy, a former room-mate, as that of John Kramenz, a Russian Pole, formerly employed in a coal mine at Charleston, W. Va.

According to the Coroner, death had been caused by strangulation, though in forcing the body into the trunk the neck had been broken. Ropes held the head and neck to the knees and feet to the body. A large bandanna handkerchief had been used as a gag and a woman's petticoat, wrapped about the head, had been used as an additional precaution to prevent a return to life.

About 10 o'clock this morning Joseph Cooper, an employee of a "push-cart stable" on Sheriff street, near by, rented a cart to two men answering the description given by the boy. They had asked him to take care of the trunk after it had been dumped into the gutter.

At a late hour the police had not learned where the trunk was obtained or picked up by the pushcart, nor either of the men who carted it away have been apprehended.

GROUT INDICTED.

Former Controller of the Greatest City in the Western Hemisphere is Charged with Perjury.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE TO THE TIMES.]
NEW YORK, Dec. 29.—Edward M. Grout, former Controller of New York City, was indicted today on a charge of perjury. He is accused of having made a false report to the superintendent of banks of the resources of the Union Bank of Brooklyn of which he was for two years president.

James P. Ashley, cashier of the institution, was indicted on the same charge. The indictment grew out of an investigation by the State Banking Department of the affairs of the bank after it closed its dors in April, 1910.

KILLS WIFE AND CHILD.

Professional Magician Explains Deed by Saying He Saw the Devil Walking in Their Eyes.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]
CINCINNATI (O.) Dec. 29.—Robert Maloney, a magician, who registered at a leading hotel under his stage name of J. R. Willard, shot and killed his wife, Othello, and Francis, his 1-year-old daughter, while they slept early today. Maloney then rushed from the room in his undergarments and ran shrieking down the street to the suspension bridge, where he was arrested. In his cell Maloney cried repeatedly that he had to kill his wife because he saw the demon of darkness in her eyes, and in those of the baby.

"I hated to do it, but it had to be done. I could see the devil walking in the eyes of both," he said to Coroner Foortmyer.

The Great Confab Resumed.

CONCORD (N. H.) Dec. 29.—[By A. P. Night Wire.] The commission appointed by the Federal Court to determine whether it would be safe to admit Harry K. Thaw to bail resumed its examination of the Matteawan fugitive today.

Artist Dead in Her Studio.

NEW YORK, Dec. 29.—[By A. P. Night Wire.] Miss Mollie Chatfield, an artist, was found dead in her studio this afternoon with a steel paper cutter driven through her heart. Apparently it was a case of suicide.

LLOYD KNAPP ARRESTED.

Electrical Engineer Who Escaped From Deputy Sheriff Keyme of Los Angeles Caught at Omaha.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]
SAN FRANCISCO BUREAU OF THE TIMES, Dec. 29.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Lloyd E. Knapp, an electrical engineer, whose sensational career in San Francisco and Los Angeles culminated September 17, 1912, in his escape in the Palace Hotel from Deputy Sheriff Keyme of Los Angeles, who was taking him to San Quentin to serve a sentence for forgery, is under arrest in Omaha, Neb., according to advices received here today.

Knapp was sentenced to a year in the penitentiary for raising $10 on two fictitious checks. His bride of a few months, who was formerly Miss Blaine Collings, and who was possessed of a fortune of $60,000, did everything in her power to save him from prison, but the court refused her pleas for probation for her husband.

Mrs. Knapp announced her intention of sticking to Knapp, but after his escape from the officer, filed suit for divorce on the ground that Knapp was a convicted felon and a fugitive from justice.

Knapp was being taken to San Quentin by Deputy Sheriff Keyme when he got away. At the Palace Hotel he asked permission to telephone to Harry Flannery. The deputy allowed him to do so and turned to light a cigar. When he looked back the booth was empty.

A few days later, Monday night, September 16, 1912, a San Mateo car was held up at Easton and City Attorney Kirkbridge of San Mateo was wounded by the robber. Two days later a stranger, who gave the name of Louis Kirsham, was captured near Redwood City and charged with being the robber. He succeeded, however, in proving an alibi and was released.

His alibi consisted in writing out his dinner order in the dining car of a train from Los Angeles to San Francisco the night of the hold-up, the statement being verified by railroad officials.

An hour after he was released, it was discovered that he was none other than Knapp.

JOYS OF THE RECALL.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 29.—Louis Ferrari, a deputy district attorney, was detailed today to investigate the appearance of fraud in a petition recently circulated, urging the recall of State Senator Edwin E. Grant of San Francisco, author of the redlight abatement law. The petition fell far short of the necessary number of signatures and Registrar Zemansky reported that many of those which were obtained seemed to be forgeries.

FOLKS HEARD TAPPINGS.

And Later Along the First National Bank in Oroville, Cal., Was Robbed by Cracksmen.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE TO THE TIMES.]
OROVILLE, Dec. 29.—Cracksmen tunneled 150 feet and pierced the concrete walls of the First National Bank of Oroville vault, between Saturday and Monday. They obtained $3700 in silver, but were unable to blow the coin safe in which was stored a much larger amount in gold and currency.

Two empty coin bags were found beneath the back porch of the Bell Harness shop today. Not a single coin was dropped by the burglars in emptying the sacks, which are now in the possession of Sheriff Webber. Stories which lend weight to the belief that the burglary had been planned for more than a week were told this morning.

Dr. F. W. Gibson, a dentist, with an office on the second floor of the bank building, heard tapping in the bank last Tuesday night, and reported it to Cashier E. B. Rugh, and Deputy Constable Toland. They listened about various buildings, but heard nothing and paid no further attention to the report.

A week ago last night R. L. Jones, proprietor of the Chocolate Shop, also heard tapping, and being superstitious, closed shop and went home.

TO SEE LOS ANGELES.

Annual Rogue River Valley Excursion to the Sunny Southland Is Now Under Way.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]
ASHLAND (Or.) Dec. 29.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The annual Rogue River Valley excursion to California left here this afternoon. The train equipment consisted of three standard Pullman and an observation car attached to the Oregon Express. A Pullman each was reserved for people from Ashland, Medford and Grant's Pass, and all were filled. The first stop of the excursionists will be at San Francisco, where a visit will be paid to the exposition grounds. The excursionists then will witness the advent of the New Yearasit is ushered in at the Golden Gate metropolis. After two days of sightseeing in the bay cities, the excursion will proceed to Los Angeles.

To Recover Stolen Money.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 29.—[By A. P. Night Wire.] The Crocker National Bank of this city has filed suits against three stock brokerage firms to recover more than $161,000 embezzled by Charles F. Baker, former assistant cashier, and lost by him in stock speculations. Baker is serving ten years in San Quentin prison.

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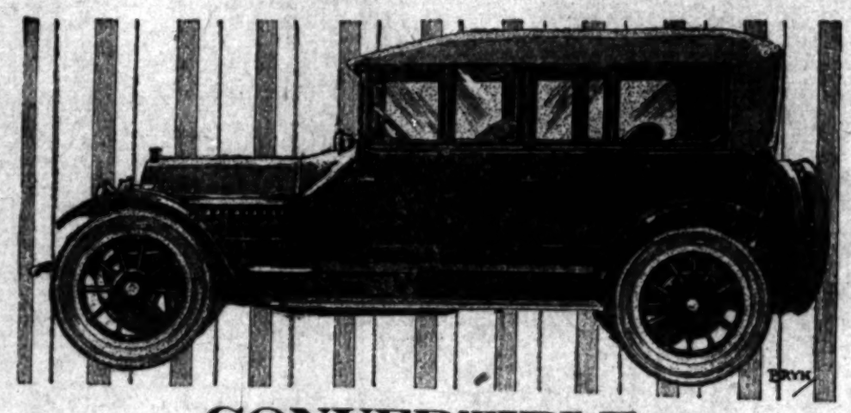

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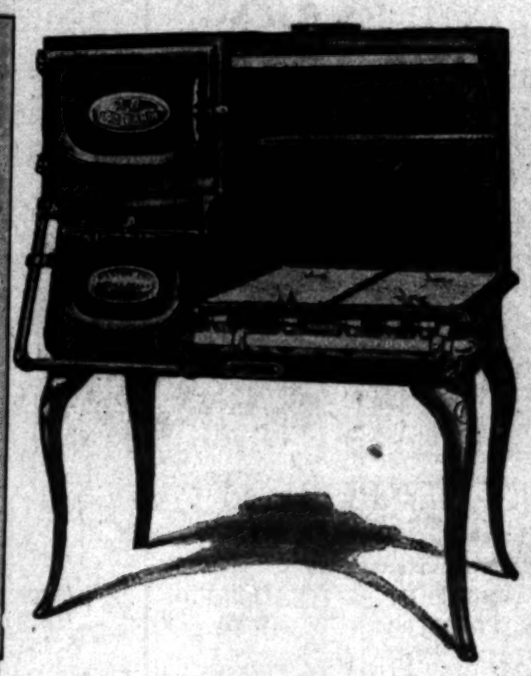

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SAY RICHMOND SUSPECT HAS DYNAMITE RECORD.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 29.—Charges that one of the three men arrested by the police of Richmond, across the bay from San Francisco, as they were about to board a boat loaded with an infernal machine, arms, nitroglycerin and other explosives, has a record as a "dynamiter," were made by detectives from Sacramento today.

When arrested Saturday night this man gave the name of Charles King. Today he was identified as Thomas Mooney and a partner of a man by the name of W. K. Billings, who had been arrested in Sacramento on a charge of transporting explosives. Billings was convicted and sentenced to Folsom prison.

The Sacramento detectives said Mooney was arrested two months ago and that he was suspected of having been connected with some of the dynamite jobs against the Pacific Gas and Electric Company, as a result of trouble between the company and some of their workmen.

Joseph Brown, one of the other men arrested with King or Mooney, refuses to talk. H. G. Hanlon, the third man, has been identified as an electrician. When arrested a membership card of the Industrial Workers of the World was found in one of his pockets. Hanlon has worked in Stockton, Sacramento and other places.

Detectives from San Francisco, Oakland, Richmond, Sacramento and other places, as well as operatives of private agencies, continued to work on the investigation today in an effort to identify the men. King and Brown have said they were from Chicago, and the Illinois authorities have been asked to take a hand in the case.

The Richmond and Oakland detectives said today that from information they had gathered, they had reached the conclusion that the dynamite and other explosives found in the boat were to be used in blowing up a transformer plant of the gas and electric company, which would have crippled parts of the electric service of San Francisco, Oakland and the other trans-bay cities.

Bertillon measurements of the men have been taken and are to be forwarded to several eastern cities where buildings have been dynamited during disputes with workmen. The police of Indianapolis have been requested by telegraph to assist in the investigation.

Mooney admitted tonight that King was an assumed name. The Richmond police say he was associated with an alleged dynamiter by the name of MacAlpine, who was accused of operating in Berkeley several months ago.

At a conference between the District Attorney of Contra Costa county and Chief of Police J. P. Arnold of Richmond, it was practically decided to file three charges against Mooney, Hanlon and Brown—that of carrying high explosives, carrying concealed weapons and the theft of the sailboats in which the explosives were found.

BRITONS LAND MARINES.

English Admiralty Confesses That Men of the Cruisers Are Patrolling Mexican Border.

[BY CABLE AND A. P. TO THE TIMES.]

LONDON, Dec. 29.—The British admiralty this evening confirmed the report of the landing of men from the cruiser Lancaster in British Honduras, in a communication which says:

"Owing to reports that parties of Mexicans were crossing into British Honduras, detachments of bluejackets and marines have been landed there in order to assist in the maintenance of order and to see that British territory is not used for illegal purposes."

"Nothing Rotten in Denmark."

COPENHAGEN, Dec. 29.—[By Cable and A. P.] Denmark is to take a prominent place at the Panama-Pacific Exposition at San Francisco in both the art and agricultural departments. The art exhibit will be housed in the Hall of Art, which is in the center of the grounds.

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SOCIETY WOMEN HER VICTIMS.

LETTER WRITER IS ARRESTED AT OAKLAND.

Plumber's Wife Admits She Resorted to All Kinds of Trickery in Order to Bring Prominent People Into Unfortunate Situations—Motive for Her Conduct a Mystery.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

OAKLAND, Dec. 29.—A five-year search for a woman who is alleged to have written hundreds of letters to professional persons of this city defaming the characters of prominent women, and sending letters to others demanding various sums of money on pain of death in the event of refusal, ended here tonight when detectives arrested Mrs. Mary L. Christman, wife of a plumber. She is said to have made a complete confession.

One woman, prominent in society circles and active in club work, has been the particular object of Mrs. Christman's letters. A motive for the entire procedure is lacking, say the police. It was Mrs. Christman's method to copy the names of society women from the columns of local papers. She would sign these names to letters when writing slanderous attacks. In all, the woman is said to have confessed to writing 500 letters.

From time to time many of these letters would be turned over to the police by the recipients for investigation. Her letters attempting blackmail were signed "black hand."

An ingenious method whereby she expected to bring disgrace on the same society woman by setting a trap in which a wealthy banker's name would figure, was revealed tonight by the police.

To the banker she wrote a letter demanding that $1000 in gold be deposited in a certain vacant lot in the residence district. To the woman she wrote that valuable papers would be delivered to her if she would visit the vacant lot at the hour named. To other persons she wrote asking them to put in an appearance at the lot. The principals, however, turned the letters over to the police and the plot fell through.

Mrs. Christman probably will be turned over to the postal authorities, who also have been working on the case.

CAMINETTI LEAVES COAST.

Commissioner-General Declares Decision Upholding Power of Immigration Authorities of Great Import.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 29.—Anthony Caminetti, Commissioner-General of Immigration, who has been on the Pacific Coast studying the Hindu immigration situation, departed today for Washington. He said the recent decision of the United States District Court here upholding the power of immigration authorities to make their own rules was the most important ever handed down in immigration matters in the United States.

American Woman Forfeits Surety.

LONDON, Dec. 29.—[By Cable and A. P.] The surety of $250 given by the American Consul-General in London was forfeited today when Mrs. Sheridan Pitt Read, widow of a former American Consul at Tien Tsin, China, failed to appear at the Police Court to answer the charge of obtaining credit on false pretenses. The charge arose out of a bill for $40 presented by a London hotel.

There is not a particle of opium or other narcotic in Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, and never has been since it was first offered to the public. —[Advertisement.

TO RAISE ORANGES profitably requires climate, soil and water. Tustin has all of these in a superlative degree.

ARROWHEAD SPRINGS for pure air and water. Sanitary conditions perfect. Hotel steam heated.

Missing From Home

JOHN RIOLO

Aged 24 years is missing. He left home Sunday, Dec. 28. Reward for his return or information leading to his whereabouts, will be paid by his brother at 136 19th Ave., South, Los Angeles.

ASK TEN MILLIONS.

Quaker Oats Company and Western Cereal Made Defendants in Suit by Receivers of Latter Company.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CHICAGO, Dec. 29.—The Quaker Oats Company, its directors and the directors of the Great Western Cereal Company were made defendants in a suit for $10,000,000 damages filed today in the United States District Court here, by William A. Tilden and Charles D. Thompson, receivers of the cereal company. The suit was brought under section seven of the Sherman anti-trust law, and was the result of the sale of the trade names and principal properties of the cereal company to the Quaker Oats Company, June 22, 1911.

The $1,000,000 realized by the sale, it was charged, was taken by the holders of $1,000,000 in the cereal company's bonds, leaving the holders of $3,000,000 worth of stock only the name of the company and minor property as assets. The law, it was held, provides that complaining stockholders can claim punitive damages in three times the amount of the capital stock.

The declaration charges that the two companies control 90 per cent. of the interstate trade in oatmeal products. It charges that the transfer of brands and the plant at Ft. Dodge, Iowa, and the plant at Joliet, Ill., was made by Joy Morton without the knowledge and consent of the stockholders.

"In order to accomplish the sale and to procure a tolerable ratification thereon, on the part of the stockholders of the cereal company," the declaration charges, "the directors contrived to obtain proxies from the stockholders to be voted at a general meeting of the stockholders."

The proxies were obtained, it alleges, without disclosing the purpose of disposing of the property and were voted at a meeting at which Joy Morton and Sawyer were the only stockholders present. The receivers alleged the sale was void, as having been made without the consent of the stockholders.

The receivers were appointed in May, 1912, on the complaint of a creditor that the company was insolvent.

The transfer of the properties in 1911 was made the basis of a civil suit against the same set of defendants, charging violation of the Sherman law. It is now pending.

"FRISCO" STRIKE UNLIKELY.

Receiver Lusk Says Agreement With Telegraphers Will Probably Be Reached at Today's Conference.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

ST. LOUIS, Dec. 29.—There will be no strike of telegraphers on the St. Louis and San Francisco Railroad, according to indications tonight. The strike committee of the Order of Telegraphers will meet the receivers of the road tomorrow in another attempt to reach an agreement.

James W. Lusk, chairman of the receivers, said he thought an agreement would be reached.

The outcome of the conferences thus far may be summarized as follows:

"The railroad company has agreed to a wage increase, but not to the 15 per cent. increase asked.

"The railroad company has agreed to pay overtime, but not double overtime, as demanded.

"The chief points now at issue are technical subjects regarding labor conditions."

Receiver Lusk said he felt some of the demands as to working conditions were impracticable, but he believed an amicable agreement would be reached.

"We are gradually coming to an understanding," he said, "and such good spirit has prevailed throughout the conference that I feel the remaining points at issue will be settled."

It was announced at Frisco headquarters, but not by the receivers personally, that the company had polled the telegraphers and agents and the result indicated most of the men would stay at their posts.

Telephone circuits were operated today over most of the system. W. C. Nixon, receiver and chief operating officer, did not say whether this would continue if a strike is averted.

NEEDS A BIRD NOW.

Assistant Secretary of the Treasury Receives a Cage From Seattle School Girl He Befriended.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 29.—A bird cage made from evergreen tree bark, bearing a Christmas card with the best wishes of Lottie Lester, was placed today on the desk of Assistant Secretary of the Treasury Hamlin. Lottie is the Seattle school girl whose "Belgian hare bunny" ate her father's Panama hat, and who received a new one from Hamlin when she tried to buy a hat confiscated by customs agents.

Lottie's father evidently helped complete the bird cage, for it bore at the roof peak a small badge of the Fraternal Order of Eagles. Hamlin is looking for a bird.

REDCOATS LOST.

Two Mounted Policemen, a Constable and a Packer Are in the Wilds of Northern Saskatchewan.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

REGINA (Sask.) Dec. 29.—Two members of the Northwest Mounted Police, Sergt. Harper and Constable Stevenson, and a packer named Richard Harrington, have been lost in the Peace River district, in the wilds of Northern Saskatchewan, according to reports received here tonight by the commissioner of police.

The three men constituted a patrol which left Saskatoon Lake November 8 in search of a fugitive from justice. They have not been seen since November 11, when they were met by a party of trappers. The trappers later found two guns belonging to the police. A searching party will be sent out tomorrow.

"LET US BE FRIENDS."

NEW YORK, Dec. 29.—[By A. P. Night Wire.] Conferences began here today between Felix H. Levy, counsel for the National Wholesale Jewelers' Association, and H. Snowden Marshall, United States District Attorney, to arrange the details of the settlement of a friendly suit under the Sherman anti-trust law.

Block at Marshfield Burns.

PORTLAND, Dec. 29.—[By A. P. Night Wire.] Fire this morning destroyed the Montgomery block at Marshfield, the metropolis of the Coos Bay country. A number of stores and offices were wiped out. The loss is $30,000, with very little insurance. The cause of the blaze is unknown.

Serious Earthquake in Peru.

LIMA (Peru) Dec. 29.—[By Cable and A. P.] Another serious earthquake has occurred in the province of Aymaraes, department of Apurimac, in Southern Peru. Two persons have been killed and many houses destroyed. The railroads have been so damaged as to make transit impossible.

San Bernardino.

TROUBLE OVER MINING CLAIMS.

San Bernardino Sheriff Anticipates Friction.

Claim Jumpers Threaten Peace of the District.

Indian Boys Make Charges Against Officials.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SAN BERNARDINO, Dec. 29.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Charging assault with deadly weapons, representatives of a syndicate of claim-jumpers last night swore to complaints for the arrest of Guy Wilkerson and five others, all employees of the American Trona Company, at the Searles Lake region, which threatens to become a battleground on New Year's eve, the time for relocating claims.

The five men named in the complaints with Wilkerson are listed as John Doe defendants.

Attorney J. W. Curtis of this city, representing the men attacked by the armed force at Searles Lake, arrived here tonight to get the warrants he had been called to the desert.

It is alleged Louis Razor, Jesse Foley and other engineers were marched seven miles at the point of rifles when they reached the property country, and ordered, under threat of death, to leave the region. They were forced to abandon their automobiles. An alleged fake attachment, placed on the machine at Searles station over the line in Kern county, resulted in robbery warrants at that place, and five other Trona employees are under arrest.

Open warfare is feared.

With the approach of the New Year the prospect for trouble over mining claims over the entire desert section becomes serious—more serious than a year perhaps than in some years past. In response to dispatches from the Searles Lake section and from Twenty-Nine Palms that trouble is imminent, Sheriff J. C. Ralphs today dispatched Deputy John Eutton to the former and Deputy Ben de Cressner to the latter.

Assessment work on mining properties must be finished before the end of the year and in case it is not the property is subject to being jumped. Many valuable properties in all parts of the county are being closely watched the next few days by their owners, while in the case of the above properties there is some fear of trouble.

The trouble in the potash mines at Searles Lake seems to be again between the interests represented by the American Trona Company and Henry E. Lee of San Francisco, the latter having supposed to have sold his interest in the property several months ago.

Men representing Lee are said to have interfered with the transportation of supplies being sent to the miners engaged on the assessment work, and a representative of the American Trona Company was expected here today to swear to a warrant for the men, but he failed to put in his appearance.

The Mohawk mine at Twenty-Nine Palms is the valuable property involved there. The Mohawk property was attached by the Sheriff two days ago and a man named McDermot placed in charge. He is said to have refused to permit M. Eskildsen to do any assessment work, even resisting with arms. It is believed McDermot may have plans for jumping the claims the night of the 31st.

CATCH BAD INDIANS.

Six Indian boys who escaped from the Sherman Institute at Riverside have been picked up here the past two days by the police. The boys assert they have been the victims of cruel punishments at the institution, punishment that might be suitable for a child but not for young men and young women. They assert they have at times been made to stand for hours at a time. They also say money sent them by their parents has never reached them. Some of the boys who escaped came from the Oklahoma and South Dakota reservations and are very intelligent. They were returned to the institution today, officers from there coming after them. The officers claim they were unruly and the punishment meted out to them was entirely just.

NEWS BRIEFS.

At a conference held today between the representatives of the power companies, the power users and city officials, the former stated they would not make any further reductions or changes in the rates as established by the city, that they would be forced to stand for the coming year. The power rates are the only cause of controversy and it is asserted they make increases of from 37 to 57 per cent. in the bills of users.

William Dodson, who was also brought here from Columbus, N. M., being wanted here for theft of a mile and a half of copper wire, escaped this morning at 10 o'clock from Deputy Sheriff Buschman in India. On receipt of the news Deputy Sheriff Lambert started for the pass country and every avenue of escape will be closely watched for him, as he is badly wanted here. He formerly lived here and is said to have figured in previous matters of a criminal sort.

BLAME SCHOOL FRATERNITIES.

Speakers at Phi Gamma Delta Convention Say Their Initiations Cause Much Trouble.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

ATLANTIC CITY (N. J.) Dec. 29.—High school fraternities were criticised today by speakers at the annual convention of the Phi Gamma Delta Fraternity. It was said the methods of initiation of these societies were "the cause of much trouble that has come to the fraternities in general" and that resolutions will be presented at tomorrow's session which will make all members of high school fraternities ineligible to membership in the Phi Gamma Delta. Delegates have planned a campaign to secure local authorities and State Legislatures to enact remedial measures.

Officers installed today include H. Cheney, New York, president; Wilmer Christian, Indianapolis, first vice chairman, and E. B. Jones, Pittsburgh, secretary.

Four hundred delegates, representing a membership of 14,000 in fifteen colleges and twenty-six graduate chapters throughout the country attended the opening session today.

Vice-President Thomas R. Marshall and Mayor Baker of Cleveland, both members of the Phi Gamma Delta, are expected to deliver addresses at the banquet tomorrow night.

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WINTON — W. D. Howard Motor Car Co., 1238 South Flower Street. Bdwy. 4180, Home F5609.

Trouble Ahead.

BIG LEAGUE WAR BREWING.

Tinker and Brown Actually Sign Contracts.

Federals May Place Team in New York.

Gov. Tener Tells National League Plans.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]
CHICAGO, Dec. 29.—The final papers by which Joe Tinker and Mordecai Brown, for years National League stars, cast their lot with the Federal League, were signed here today. This was confirmed by both players who also said their salaries had been guaranteed by a bonding company which assured them full payment for their three years' contract regardless of what fate may befall the league. They asserted their departure from organized baseball into the new league had not been made without full investigation which convinced them that the Federals had sufficient financial backing to make it a real competitor of the older leagues.

Tinker's contract calls for $36,000 for the three years, according to a statement by Charles Weeghman president of the Chicago club, whose entrance into professional baseball affairs became known first today. Weeghman owns a string of lunchrooms and billiard-rooms and is reputed to be wealthy.

Tinker appeared jubilant, but was reticent about his plans for players.

"I'm a Federal Leaguer from now on," he said. "I'm a stockholder in the club, too. I won't say anything about what players I'll have. I want to wait and do something first, and then talk about it."

Tinker, who is to manage the Chicago club, indicated he would have a comparatively free hand in obtaining players.

He said the club would have at least five men who were in the National League as late as last year.

Charles Weeghman, owner of the Chicago club, said every club in the league had deposited a $25,000 forfeit, it would live up to its agreements. In case any of the clubs do not go through with their contracts, the money is to become the property of the league.

FEDERAL MAKING INROADS.

MAY ENTER NEW YORK.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]
NEW YORK, Dec. 29.—News that President Gilmore of the Federal League was on his way to this city seems to bear out recent statements that the league is about to make an entry into New York. Several men

(Continued on Second Page.)

LOOK OVER THIS LIST.

Tentative List of Federal League Managers and Some Backers of the League.

CHICAGO (Ill.) Dec. 29.—Following is a tentative list of managers made up here today by persons in close touch with Federal affairs:

The list suggested reads:

Chicago Federals, Joe Tinker of the Cincinnati Nationals.

St. Louis, Mordecai Brown, Cincinnati Nationals.

Pittsburgh, James Sheckard, Cincinnati Nationals.

Baltimore, Otto Knabe, Philadelphia Nationals.

Kansas City, George Stovall, St. Louis Americans.

Indianapolis, William Phillips.

Buffalo, Larry Schafley, Buffalo Internationals.

Toronto, not stated.

From authoritative sources comes a list of the backers of the Federal teams. They are: St. Louis, Otto Stifel; Pittsburgh, W. A. Kerr, John Barbour; Baltimore, Edward Hanlan; Kansas City, S. S. Gordon, C. C. Madison; Indianapolis, J. E. Kraus, J. A. George, E. E. Gates; Buffalo, Walter Muller; Toronto, Barney Hepburn; Chicago, Charles Weeghman, William Walker and James A. Gilmore. All the backers named are said to be men of means with large resources behind them.

HIGH SCHOOL MEN FORM POLO LEAGUE.

The High School Water Polo League was formed last night at the L.A.A.C. Les Henry was elected president.

The league consists of Los Angeles High, Poly, Manual Arts, Huntington Park, Long Beach and Venice.

A schedule was made which will last five weeks, beginning New Year's Eve, when L.A. High and Manual Arts meet at Bimini Baths.

From present indications the best teams appear to be L. A. High, Poly and Long Beach.

Bob Howard, captain of L. A. High, is working hard toward making his team successful this season. Last year Long Beach nosed them out by a narrow margin, but Howard is confident that his squad will reverse things this year.

BOB SCANLON WINS.

LONDON, Dec. 29.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Bob Scanlon, a negro, beat "Private" Harris, late of the Grenadier Guards, on points, in a twenty-round boxing match at the Ring last night.

Attention!

OARSMEN ARE CALLED FOR.

Athletic Club to Take Up Rowing.

Meeting Held to Make the Arrangements.

All Club Oarsmen Asked to Register.

The Los Angeles Athletic Club has sent out a call for oarsmen.

A meeting was held yesterday preparatory to taking up the deli of the San Diego Rowing Club, which has challenged the athletic club to a race with four-oared shells.

It was the opinion of those in the conference that it would be feasible for the athletic club to revive rowing. Taking stock of assets, it was found that the club has several of the finest racing shells in the world now in storage; has about thirty college oarsmen among its members, and has a splendid coach in the person of Al Treloar, the club's athletic director, who was a member of both the freshman and varsity crews at Harvard in 1898.

It was decided to ask all Athletic club oarsmen willing to row on the crew to register immediately with Mr. Treloar. A meeting of the rowing men will then be called and a committee appointed to find a rowing course.

Several are available. When the club had a crew in 1907 the shells were kept at Playa del Rey, where the course is the same as at Henley—one mile, 550 yards. Another suggested course is at Long Beach near the Sunset Yacht Club headquarters. Another course under consideration is at Naples. The one that seems to be most favored in the preliminary survey is at Balboa, which presents a wonderful straight-away course of a mile and a half from Bay Island to Corona del Mar. The great point of superiority of the Balboa is the fact that the spectators could see the race so easily.

ENGLAND HUNTING HEAVYWEIGHTS.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]
NEW YORK, Dec. 29.—Sporting men just returned from abroad say England is trying to find a good heavyweight boxer. The Daily Sketch and Sporting Chronicle have undertaken the task. These papers are putting up $25,000 for the best heavyweight boxer in England, Scotland, Ireland or Wales. The conditions are that the man who has not won more than $10 in a boxing contest may enter for the prize. There is to be a series of contests and they are to be divided up as follows:

A new way to train.

Bud Anderson, in his earnest desire to develop speed for his coming contest with Leach Cross has taken up following the hounds every day and going coursing. He expects that this will greatly increase his speed and efficiency in the ring.

Twelve in England, six in Scotland, four in Ireland and two in Wales. The best man developed is to fight Carpentier for the British title.

Sensational Polo.

"THAT'S THE GREATEST POLO PLAY I EVER SAW."

Carleton Burke Turns Tide for Midwick by the Most Sensational Dash Ever Seen on the Coast — Capt. Cookson Says 'It Equals International Standard. Santa Barbara Is Beaten 6 3-4 to 6.

BY WILLIAM M. HENRY.

"THE greatest play that I have seen in thirty years' polo experience, not excepting internationals," were the words used by Capt. Cookson to describe the wild ride of Carleton Burke for three-quarters of the length of the field, riding off Dr. Boeseke all the way and ending the spurt with a beautiful goal.

Carleton Burke on Tipperary Boy.

The hard riding Midwick back and his mount of international fame were the heroes of a great duel yesterday with Dr. Boeseke and Blue Knot.

When Midwick, with the two inexperienced Miller boys, playing the first two positions, was forced to give Santa Barbara a three-goal handicap in the game yesterday afternoon, the wise birds on the side lines shook their heads, and for a while it looked as though the handicap was too big, but Burke's wonderful ride at the end of the third period turned the tide in their favor and they finally won 6 3-4 to 6.

The play itself was about as thrilling as could be imagined. Santa Barbara had evolved a system by which Reggie Weiss found himself tangled up with two Green and White players every time the ball came near, and at the time Burke's play was made the Saints held a nice 4 to 2 lead on Midwick.

A CRUCIAL MOMENT.

Already in the third chuckhur Dabney and Elmer Boeseke had scored and the Midwick team seemed to be going to pieces. Dabney started another rush towards the Purple goal, but overrode the ball. Ted Miller rode up to hit it, but Burke, on Tipperary Boy, of international fame, came thundering up with a yell, "Out of the way, kid," and like a shot was off down the field with Dr. Boeseke right alongside of him on Blue Knot.

For 250 yards the prettiest race imaginable was staged, the two riders equally matched as to weight, the ponies as to speed. Burke leaned far out of his saddle and slowly began to ride off the hard-riding Santa Barbara back, just barely shoving him far enough to one side to give him a free shot at the ball, and with three more mighty wallops Burke had driven the ball through the goal posts with a force sufficient to carry it to the fence.

Right there the onward march of Santa Barbara was stopped and the prediction of one of Burke's grooms immediately after the shot to the effect that "it's all over but the shouting," proved true, for both Burke and Weiss, ably seconded by Ted and John B. Miller, Jr., played like wild men for the remainder of the game.

MANY THRILLS.

The game was a corker from start to finish. Santa Barbara showed good team work but the magnificent combination of Weiss and Burke was too much for them. Dabney and Parke both played a much improved game, Dabney especially coming through with an unlooked for exhibition of class.

Burke and Weiss burst into the limelight at the tap of the opening gong. Burke shooting the ball between the uprights with a mighty wallop exactly one minute after the opening of the game, and Weiss followed it up with a beautiful long ride and shot. Dr. Boeseke, however, asm at the end of the period by scoring an ace for the Green and White put a crimp in the Midwick enthusiwith a nice shot.

The second chuckhur was an awful thing, neither side being able to score a point, the big feature of the play being a long ride by Elmer Boeseke, ending in a collision with one of the goal posts, which didn't hurt anybody but seemed to dampen the ardor of the boy who was standing behind the post.

The third chuckhur was the period in which Burke burst into fame with his Paul Revere exhibition. Dr. Boeseke had given himself an impromptu shower bath between chuckhurs with the water bucket and the Saints seemed imbued with new dash. Dabney and Elmer Boeseke each scored an ace shortly after the opening of the period. Things were looking very bad for Midwick when Burke broke up the game.

A CONSULTATION.

During the half time period Burke and Weiss had a little heart-to-heart talk and evolved some kind of a scheme by which Weiss was enabled to get away from the two Saints who had persisted in clinging to him. During the second half Weiss was much in evidence.

The Santa Barbara defense was very stubborn in the early part of the fourth chuckhur and the ball was rushed from one end of the field to the other several times without a score being made until, just as the bell rang for the end of the period, Ted Miller shot a pretty goal from a pass by John B. Miller, Jr.

The fifth period opened with a nice ride down the side lines by Reggie Weiss, who passed across the field to Carleton Burke and No. 4 on the Midwick team had an easy shot for goal. Weiss made another brilliant run shortly after, ending it this time with a magnificent cut shot from a bad angle, which went cleanly between the uprights.

Dr. Boeseke made the last score for his team just at the end of this chuckhur when he got away on Blue Knot, hotly pursued by Burke on Diamond Dick. In spite of the valiant attempt of Diamond Dick to catch up with the aid of his tail as a propeller, the Santa Barbaran stuck out in front and shot a very neat goal, ending the period, and tying the score.

FRESH MOUNTS.

Both teams came out with fresh mounts for the last chuckhur, and it remained for the infant hand of Ted Miller to guide the ball over the line for the deciding point of the game. After several hot scrimmages the ball was run down the side lines by Reggie Weiss and Miller just managed to sneak it over for the final score.

In spite of the valiant attempts of Dabney, Parke and the two Boesekes, Santa Barbara was unable to shove over the tying ace, and though they came near enough to force Burke to make a safety and cut down the Midwick lead by one-fourth of a point, they had to be content with the short end of the score.

There will be no game this afternoon as the Santa Barbara four will be given a chance to rest up before meeting the strong Pasadena team.

The scores—Midwick (6¾) Burke, 3; Weiss, 2; Ted Miller, 2. Santa Barbara (6) Dr. Boeseke, 3; Elmer Boeseke, 1; Dabney, 2.

A Possibility.

M'FARLAND MAY MEET GIBBONS-CLABBY WINNER.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]
CHICAGO, Dec. 29.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Packy McFarland, barred from Wisconsin for one year by the boxing commission for putting up a poor exhibition, had his first laugh at the expense of the commissioners today when he received a tentative offer of $15,000 to box the winner of the Jimmy Clabby-Mike Gibbons tilt to be held at Vernon, January 17. This, according to the stockyards man, is positive proof that other States are not taking any stock in the action of the Badger body.

Whether or not McFarland will accept the offer remains with the promoters making the bid for his services. Packy says he is not averse to fighting welterweights if there is enough money in it, and he considers $15,000 an attractive sum. Both Gibbons and Clabby have signified their willingness to meet McFarland at 145 pounds ringside, and two matchmakers, McCarey of Vernon and Coffroth of San Francisco, are angling for the mill.

The first big offer to enter the welterweight division came from Jim Coffroth, the San Francisco promoter, about ten days ago. He asked Packy's terms, saying that such a bout would draw $40,000. Packy, through his manager, wired back that if Coffroth was so sure that the mill would so "big" it would not be out of reason to ask $15,000 for his services.

McFarland says New York matchmakers are willing to give him $10,000 to fight Gibbons ten rounds, and he sees no reason why he should not get $5000 more for going twenty rounds.

In case of a hitch Packy intends opening his 1914 campaign in Philadelphia along about January 15, with Tommy Howell as his opponent.

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MANY STARS AT PASADENA.

National Champions Are to Appear.

Thomson, Kelly and Drew Are Entered.

Many Local College Stars to Compete.

The track and field meet, which is to be one of the main features of the Tournament of Roses this year, is beginning to look like a meet of champions. Seldom have the fans in Southern California had such an unusual opportunity as is to be offered Thursday, when so many cinder knights, of national reputation, are to be seen in action at Tournament Park for the first track meet of the 1914 season. Never before has a track season opened so early, and if a flying start counts for anything, this spring should mark a banner season for the southern athletes.

But to return to the national reputations. First, there is Fred Thomson, three times winner of the all-round competition, and present holder of the national title. Second along this line is James Donahue, of the L.A.A.C., who took second in the all-round at Stockholm. Third, Fred Kelly of U.S.C., national intercollegiate high hurdle record holder, and Olympic winner in the event. Fourth, Howard Drew, present national sprint champion. Fifth, Charlie Borgstrome of U.S.C., who, last year, was one of the best pole vaulters in the United States, and last but not least, J. Ira Courtney, Olympic sprinter and U.S.C. varsity man.

STARS WORTH WHILE.

These men alone would make the meet worth while, but the field is full of local college and High School stars. From Occidental, Kirkpatrick and Cook are entered. "Kirk" is considered one of the fastest hurdlers in the south and also a dangerous man in the sprints. Cook is a big league relay man and a sprinter of high caliber.

Franny Baer will enter the jumps for the Tigers and will probably run a lap in the 220 open relay for his college.

The L.A.A.C. will be well represented, as besides Donahue the blue will have Berger, in the 220 and relay; Kendrick in the high jump, and James Johnson, former national A.A.U. champion, in the pole vault and high jump, and Waldo Throop, who has a record of 9 4-5 for the 100. Jackson, Bradley and Laird will be in the running for U.S.C., and besides lending a keen zest to the sprint events, should make the open relay a matter well worth the price of admission. Clemmer Johnson will run for the L.A.A.C. and should be valuable in the sprints and relay, as he has done 10 seconds.

The meet will not be composed of the usual fifteen events, as it would be impossible to run some of the races owing to the fact that most of the track is to be taken up by the chariot races during a certain portion of the programme, which naturally makes the long distance races impossible.

ALL SNAPPY EVENTS.

However, the events that have been selected by the committee and Boyd Comstock, who is in charge of the affair, are thrillers, and tend to bring out all the more interesting features in this line of athletic activity. The events are as follows: 100-yard dash, 220-yard dash, 120-yard high hurdles, 220-yard low hurdles, pole vault, high jump, open relay, six men, each running 220 yards; high school relay, eight men, each running 220 yards (both these events are to be run shuttle fashion before the grand stand;) 50-yard dash, open to Pasadena grammar school students only.

A special arrangement has been made whereby A.A.U. cards will be issued at the grounds by Chairman Horning of the local Registration Committee, for any athletes who have not already joined the A.A.U., as the meet is being held under the sanction of that body.

FAST RELAY EVENTS.

The relay races promise to be two of the most thrilling events on the programme. In the open relay teams from U.S.C., Occidental, the L.A.A.C., the Y.M.C.A., Long Beach High School, L. A. High School and Glendale High School will compete; in the High School relay, teams from L. A. High, Manual Arts, Long Beach, Monrovia, Glendale, Pasadena and Covina will be in the running, and Comstock says that he expects to have at least four more in the field by the day of the meet.

At the present time it looks as though the L. A. High team would capture the first prize in the High School race, as the team that is to represent the blue in the events is composed of fast men, and in most cases of interscholastic veterans. The team is slated to run in the following order: Sheedy, Davis, Hook, Jameson, Lincoln, Adler, Dell and Brooks, with Dewns and Weber alternates.

The officials who are to act during this meet will hold a meeting today at 12:30 at the L.A.A.C., at which time Reward A. Simons, president of the A.A.U., will offer suggestions as to the running off of the meet, which he hopes will be adopted, as it is his desire to make the first track meet of the new year an ideal affair.

BOY STRUCK BY SHOT.

Harry Drain, a small boy from Jefferson-street school, was struck in the head by some athletes who were putting the shot on the U.S.C. campus. He was immediately taken into the training quarters, where his injury was examined. It was found that, luckily, the sixteen-pound weight had hit him a glancing blow and no fracture had resulted. However, the little fellow can thank his lucky stars that the shot did not hit him an inch lower, in which case he would have been instantly killed.

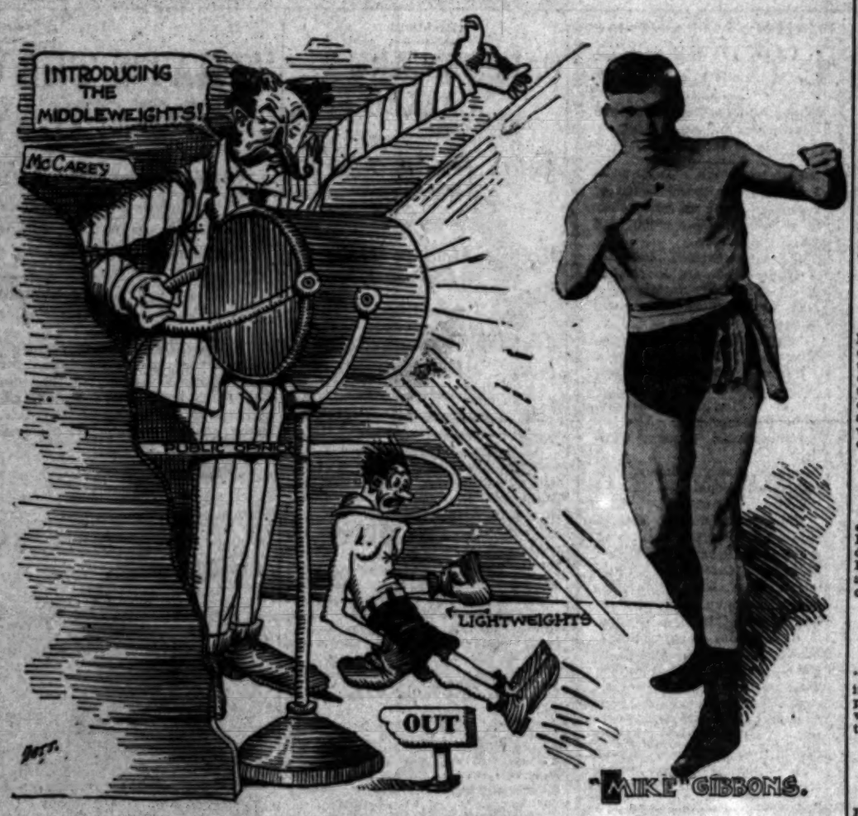
The following is the list of polo tournaments on Pacific Coast clubs: For the year 1914, Riverside Polo Club, January 31, to February 7; Midwick Country Club and Pasadena Polo Club, February 14 to 24; Coronado Country Club, March 1 to 29; San Mateo Polo Club, March 29. The Santa Barbara club will not hold a tournament this season.

Indiana University Athletic Committee has ordered all men who intend to be candidates for the football eleven in 1914 to enroll in the wrestling classes for football men, which will start next term. This is a new idea in the training of football candidates.

Something New.

UNCLE TOM ARRANGES TO GIVE THE FANS A CHANGE OF DIET.

BY DONALD O'BRIEN.



It's time to give lightweights the hook.

UNCLE TOM M'CAREY shows signs that indicate he has a heart.

He seems to be about to relieve a jaded and suffering public of the lightweights for awhile.

His contemplated match between Mike Gibbons and Jimmy Clabby will probably be clinched before the old year dies. The only drawback is that Mike is a little coy about undertaking a twenty-round fight. He has never gone further than fifteen rounds. Furthermore, he has met Clabby three times. The first time he was beaten. The next two fights were no-decision affairs.

On the other hand, Uncle Tom McCarey holds out as an inducement a championship belt, and will probably fix the middleweight limit at 154 pounds, ringside. As this would probably be presenting either Clabby or Gibbons with the championship for life, it will be worth fighting for.

Hardly any of the other so-called middleweights could make 154 pounds ringside if they were boiled down to a grease spot.

A BAD LIGHTWEIGHTS.

As far as the public is concerned the most joyous feature of the coming contest is that it will come as a breath of relief from the lightweights. Everyone is sick of lightweights.

The lightweight class has become over-weighted with temperament. It is inhabited by young he primadonnas who make more conditions about getting into a fight than would be required to run a whole flock of European wars. They argue and snort and haggle over a half pound of weight until the public wearies of the whole caboodle of them.

In the days of Ad Wolgast and Bat Nelson it was the finest division of them all. But since then, the lightweights have been weeded out and eliminated until there is nothing left except half a dozen blase young men who keep on fighting each other and raising the amount of their guarantee.

There isn't anybody in the lightweight division with a ghost of a chance at the champion thereof and that always makes for tameness.

Next to Willie Ritchie, the most promising of the lightweights is Joe Rivers, and Joe hedges himself around with so many conditions that he seems unable to find anybody who can fit the conditions except Leach Cross.

WOULD FIGHT AD.

He is now contemplating a trip back to Milwaukee to fight Ad Wolgast, late antagonist of poor old Bat Nelson. After dealing with the late Mr. Wolgast, Joe is meditating a journey south to meet either the decrepit Freddie Welsh or the remains of Joe Mandot.

This leaves nothing except the fight between Leach Cross and Bud Anderson, which is a forlorn mockery of the old lightweight division that was.

Bud is an honest farmer and—well, well, he's an honest farmer.

Leach is an amiable dentist whose startling reversals of form promise little for any kind of a fight. One day Leach shows up champions; the next day, he falls before dubs like this terrible youth Barrieau.

But the middleweights promise so much that the fight fans can look forward to the new year without quailing. Clabby and Gibbons seem to be the most promising fighters now before the public in any division.

But even if they are not, there is at least the element of chance and variety to the fight. It isn't like eating the warmed-over Christmas dinner, where you know perfectly well what is to be expected barring a special act of Providence.

UNCLE TOM GIVES BELTS.

T. J. McCarey has decided to offer two new championship belts this winter.

One will be for the middleweight championship and will be presented to the winner of the Gibbons-Clabby fight.

The other will be for the welterweight championship. An elimination contest will be held to settle the ownership of this belt.

OWEN BIRD'S COLUMN OF VARSITY COMMENT.

American Football Seems to Be Coming Into Its Own—Three Citrus Belt High Schools Seriously Considering a Change—Science and Speed Now Feature Yankee Football Causing Much Comment—Yale in Sad Plight—U.S.C. Also Has Dark Outlook—Northern Situation Remains Much the Same, But Many Are Thinking.

BY OWEN R. BIRD.

HERE WE are, once more at the end of a football season, the same old problems facing the managers and the coaches, Rugby and American football running neck and neck for supremacy, and nothing definite done in the way of a change, but gants, things are beginning to brew and brew big.

The game last Saturday, while it did not prove that Rugby was impossible as a game, did prove that Rugby style of play was less than nothing when pitted against real open speed and brains in the American game. Skill and speed won a great victory Saturday, and I hardly expect to hear any more cries about beef and brawn being the essential factors in American football. Of course, the Rugby men did not know the rules, and were unable to solve the puzzling attacks put up by D'Aule and his team, but that is what the local intercollegiate players contended all along, and the game decided the controversy, without any chance for a come-back.

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Yankee Football Progresses.

But to return to this matter of the old game and its rival, Rugby. It must be admitted, even by the most ardent Rugby fan that the American game made splendid progress this season and the game last Saturday was such a success that the directors of the newly organized Marathon Athletic Club, which staged the battle, are now figuring on holding another next year at the same time, under much the same conditions. Best of all, they have promised to take the winning team to Portland for a fling at the Multnomah Athletic Club.

Next fall the local intercollegiate all-star team should be a strong one, as the success attained by the one this season, and the fact that a big trip is being offered, should bring out all the stars for the team.

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High Schools to Change.

There is a decided leaning toward American football in the South and there is some little feeling in the North. If recent reports from that section can be taken as a criterion, however, the first step in this direction will probably be taken in the South, as the old game has a stronger hold here than in any other portion of the State.

Just to show that there is more in this than meets the eye, let it be known that the San Bernardino and Redlands high schools wish to return to the American game and will do so if Riverside can be brought into line, and there is a strong feeling at Riverside in favor of the old game. The Sherman Indians have been trying Rugby without any success and will come back into the field, if the high schools change in that section.

The University of Redlands can be thanked for this movement, as the game played by the Baptists this season found favor in the eyes of all the citrus belt high schools, and until lately everyone thought that the citrus belt schools were all for Rugby, but it seems that it is not so.

This tentative action on the part of three important high schools is a big step toward the old game, and should be greeted with much acclaim by the intercollegiate fans.

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Going Still Further.

Much dissatisfaction has been expressed by certain members of the Stanford and California alumni, especially the latter, because we have to get a team of Englishmen to show us a game of football and also because the big universities have to spend so much money in order to get teams from New Zealand and Australia to play the game right, and as an educational feature, then Stanford drafts two stars and California turns up its varsity nose because they are getting foreigners to play the game.

But while the present powers that be hold sway in the North, it is not likely that Rugby will be dropped, and while this condition lasts it will be hard for U.S.C. to change. Again we have it that there are any number of ardent football fans who would like to see the old game played throughout Southern California in the near future. No matter what else, it would pay, so think it over.

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Gives Little Fellows a Chance.

The new American game gives the little college an equal chance with the big universities. Just look over the eastern records for the past two years and be convinced. Of course, this would be a bitter pill for some of our western universities to swallow, but nevertheless it is so, and means that should the American game be played in the West, such colleges as Occidental, Pomona and others would have a fairly good chance of playing, even with Stanford and California and U.S.C., which was not so under the old rules, in the case of Stanford and California.

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Is Yale Going Back?

Sport in general, and intercollegiate sport in particular, is fast becoming a matter for brains and speed, and it is for this reason that the little fellows are beginning to worry the life out of the big fellows every time a battle starts.

For instance, think of Yale, and have a glance at the Blue record. The sons of Old Eli have not won a boat race from Harvard since 1907, in baseball Yale has not beaten Harvard since 1909, and during that time has lost many games to smaller colleges.

In football, it is five years since the Blue has won over the Crimson, and this season was walloped badly several times by members of the little conference, the defeat at the hands of Colgate being the most notable.

In track and field sports, Yale has not made a clean-up from her big rivals for nearly a decade. It looks pretty bad; what is the matter? Simply this; that science will have its way and science cares nothing for numbers, provided spirit and class are on its side.

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"Northern Relations."

Countless reams have been written about "northern relations," and for the next few years I suppose space will continue to be jammed with the same sort of stuff.

The truth is just this: As long as the southern college teams gave the northern varsity teams good, hard practice games it was well and good, but just as soon as the games came out of this class a bitter feeling arose between Stanford and U.S.C., and now the students at California have very little good to say of the Trojans. It would be the same way with Oxy and Pomona if the colleges should return to American football and the local institutions began to make trouble. At the present time Oxy and Pomona are too small to hope to compete and win, with either Stanford or California, but the fact that each year more of the southern prep school stars are going to southern colleges is beginning to get goats, and the feeling is running strong. It seems a play, but such is the case, the doctrine of "live and let live" is hardly known in the north, or anywhere else where there are big educational institutions competing with smaller ones.

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Big League War.

(Continued from ... Page.)

of prominence in local sporting circles are connected with the reports.

The question of obtaining an available field proved a serious setback to the American League when it made its successful fight ten years ago to put a club in Manhattan and undoubtedly be the same with the Federal League. There is a chance, however, that the Federals may obtain American League park, given up by the Yankees at the close of the 1912 season. The field, which has been idle for a year has been mentioned in the rumors.

Jess and Edward McMahon, who have been conducting semi-professional baseball at Olympic Field for several years, were mentioned yesterday in connection with the proposed club here. When asked last night if there was anything in the report, Jess McMahon said:

"This is all news to us, although we knew that the Federals had been looking with longing eyes toward New York. Our friendship with John McGraw and Frank Farrell would not permit us to have a hand in the local outlaw club."

OTTO KNABE IS RETICENT.
HASN'T SIGNED A CONTRACT.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 29.—Otto Knabe, second baseman of the Philadelphia National League baseball team, denied tonight he had signed a contract to manage the Baltimore team of the Federal League. He declined to say whether he had received an offer from the Federal League or whether he would consider such an offer.

STEININGER GIVES DETAILS.
THREE BIG LEAGUE PLAYERS.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

ST. LOUIS, Dec. 29.—One player each from Chicago, New York and Pittsburgh, has been signed by Mordecai Brown, manager of the St. Louis Federal League team, according to an announcement of President Steininger of the club, today.

NATIONAL LAGUE STAND.
GOV. TENER'S STATEMENT.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

HARRISBURG (Pa.) Dec. 29.—"The National League will protect its interests," replied Gov. John K. Tener, president of the National League, when asked last night what he intended to do in the Tinker case.

WINDY CITY PLANS.
BIG CONCRETE STAND.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CHICAGO, Dec. 29.—The Chicago Federal League club advertised today for bids for the construction of a cement and steel grand stand to cost $125,000. Grounds have been purchased at Sheffield avenue and Addison street on the North Side.

Joseph Tinker, former manager of the Cincinnati Nationals, who signed a three years' contract Saturday to manage the Chicago Federals, is away from Chicago, it was made known today, on a mission to obtain players for his team.

Coming South.

PETROSKEY IS ON THE WAY.

MIDDLEWEIGHT IS LOOKING FOR A SCRAP.

With His Manager Will Be Here to See Cross-Anderson Battle and Hopes to Make Arrangements for a Battle With Clabby, Dillon or McAllister.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 29.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Sailor Ed. Petroskey, the husky middleweight challenger, will arrive from a fishing trip in Oregon this evening and tomorrow he and his manager, Louis Parente, will depart for Los Angeles to take in the bout between Cross and Anderson on New Year's afternoon, and also to see about arranging a match with Jimmy Clabby in the south.

"The sailor is ready for any of them," said Parente. "All he asks is a chance to show the fans. Clabby holds a twenty-round decision over him, but he still believes that he can beat the Indiana boy in a return match and we hope that Tom McCarey can see his way clear to put on the bout some time in January or February. We are not particular as to the time.

"If we can't do business with Clabby, then we will fight either Jack Dillon or Bob McAllister. The sailor is not afraid of any of them. They all look alike to him. He is fighting better right now than he ever fought before, and he wants to get as many matches as he can while he is in such good form. He ought to be a good card in Los Angeles."

Parente added that Petroskey will post $1000 with McCarey to bind a match in the southern city, and that this also goes as a side bet provided that McCarey can induce one of the middleweights to give the sailor a chance.

BILLIARD NOTES.

Morley postponed his challenge pocket billiard game against George Kirkland last night until Wednesday night, on account of illness. Kirkland and Baalland were substituted in an exhibition three-cushion game, the latter winning by 25 points to 21, after ninety-six innings. Kirkland made high run of four.

O. J. Mills defeated H. A. Barney at Adams Bros.' billiard rooms by 100 balls to 90 at pocket billiards, after a close and interesting game on the four-by-eight tables. Barney made high run of twenty-three, on the line-up system. After the game Mills gave an exhibition of fancy shots at pool and finger billiards.

Mills and Blank are matched for a similar game and exhibition tonight.

Kirkland and A. Scholz, amateur champion of Southern California, are matched for a game of pocket billiards tonight at the Majestic. Kirkland giving his usual odds of 75 to 65.

MacKenzie lost his handicap match against Hughes at English billiards by thirty-seven points, the final scores being: Hughes, 1250; MacKenzie, 1462. MacKenzie won every round, but not by points enough to equal his handicap.

The first round stood Hughes 416, MacKenzie 421; second, Hughes 415, MacKenzie 460; third, Hughes 419, MacKenzie 482. Hughes made high run of forty-five in the second round.

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BUDDY RYAN GETS A FEDERAL OFFER.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

PORTLAND (Or.) Dec. 29.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Buddy Ryan, Cleveland outfielder, turned over to Toledo and who may come to Portland in the Lober deal with the Naps, is the latest to be approached by the Federal League with an offer of a two-year contract which reads that he can put in his own figures.

Buddy is keeping quiet on the matter, but did say today that he would hold for $8000. It is well known that the former Portland star would rather play on the Pacific Coast than anywhere else and it is doubtful if he will accept.

This makes three offers the Federals are said to have made Portland ball players. The others being Ivy Griffith, Otham and Eugene Krapp.

TEMPLE LOSES TO JOHNNY GRIFFITH

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

MILWAUKEE, Dec. 29.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Ray Temple, much-touted Milwaukee [illegible] came home after a string of victories in the West, only to be defeated in a ten-round battle with Johnny Griffiths of Akron, O. Griffiths was in danger and in only one round allowed the Milwaukee boy to get the better of the argument.

Griffiths had six rounds of the fight and three of the others were even.

The last round clinched the fight for the Akron boy. Griffiths staggered Temple with lefts to the face and a pair of rights to the body, and forced Temple to the clinch. The round was filled with mix-ups, but Griffiths had all the best of the exchanges.

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At the Virginia Country Club.

A. M. Goodhue had a party of our nice Los Angeles golfers out for the week-end—never mind who they were. But they had the good fortune to see Joseph Martin, the club's professional, make a wonderful record on the Virginia links with an amazing 63. He was playing in competition with Dr. Foote and had many witnesses of his prowess.

The Virginia course is well known to all our local players—par 69 and stiffish at that. Martin's figures were: Out—4-3-4-3-3-4-4-3-4—32; and home—3-5-3-4-4-3-3-3-3—31. No less than six threes in that second half.

The Virginia course is looking particularly pretty just now, with the grass just at that young and innocent stage when all things golfy seem possible.

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The Professionals.

The other two Martins, Ernest and Hutton, of the Los Angeles Country Club, have also distinguished themselves in their profession. They defeated the visiting Simpson brothers in the challenge match which was completed at San Gabriel yesterday by 5 up and 4. Consistent good play was the order of the day on both sides. The morning score of 18 holes was 68 and 71 respectively, quoting the winners first. And in the afternoon round the Simpsons achieved a splendid 66 against the Martins' 70, but not sufficiently well distributed to turn the fortune of the game their way. The Martins are thereby the winners of a valuable purse, besides maintaining their prestige as amongst the best professional exponents of the game in this vicinity.

Next Week.

CYCLECAR AT MOTOR SALON.

New Year's Novelty Shown Here for First Time.

Eighty Exhibitors for Los Angeles Auto Show.

High and Low-Priced Cars Handsomely Grouped.

BY BERT C. SMITH.

One of the lowest-priced motor cars on the market, the Zip Cyclecar, is to be exhibited by the Standard Cyclecar Company at the Los Angeles Automobile Show next week. This interesting friction-driven, air-cooled, wire-wheeled production is one of the newest 1914 models that is to be displayed.

The man who has secured the agency for the Cyclecar is Fred S. Deister, a Los Angeles man, who has been interested in machines for a number of years, and who has determined to market a car that will reach the largest number of pocketbooks. He believes he has just such a car in the late-model Zip and his two-cylinder is to be here on Saturday in time for the opening of the show on the following Monday.

OVERLAND TEST.

The first Overland test of the Cyclecar is being made by Hughie Hughes, who started Friday morning from Chicago for a 1000-mile tour to New York. This run will be completed this week in time for the opening of the local show, and the data gathered on that trip, together with the mileage and upkeep of the car, will be presented by Agent Deister to those interested in this low-priced product.

Practically every foot of space has been disposed of in the Grand-avenue pavilion, with the exception of several choice locations which Manager Walter Hempel is reserving for cars that are not here as yet. Even these spaces will be sold before Saturday, and it is anticipated that eighty exhibitors will take part in the 1914 motor salon.

The highest-priced automobiles are to be exhibited besides the low-priced cars. All the late refinements of a year that has meant much to the motor industry will be shown at this exhibit. The Simplex models, with the newest body designs, are to be shown in a space large enough to display them to a decided advantage, and the Simplex-Mercer Company will show their cars in such a manner that nothing will be left undone to offer the public every opportunity to critically examine the 1914 models.

MERCER RACEABOUT.

In addition to the Simplex cars the late Mercer racer is to be shown. This handsome raceabout, of the type which Barney Oldfield drove into such remarkable honors on the Corona course, is one of the most attractive cars now on the local mart. It is a machine that will appeal to the lovers of the roadster class as one of the newest ideas in the two-passenger type of 1914 roadster model.

Don Lee will be here in time for the opening of the show. The Cadillac man, who is to exhibit twelve cars, already has his plans prepared for an exhibit that will be one of the finest the California distributor has ever made. The 1914 Cadillac models are to be shown, with the two-speed axle, the reversible steering wheel, and other improvements made in the 1914 cars.

STUTZ DISPLAY.

Walter M. Brown, the Stutz agent, will show the Stutz racer No. 8, with which Earle Cooper won championship honors this year. The car and the cups won by this nobby racer are to be exhibited besides one of the late model Stutz touring cars and a 1914 Stutz roadster. This exhibit will be one of many classy numbers prepared for the Grand-avenue pavilion display, which is to be held from January 5 to 10.

The Show Committee is prepared to stage a salon that will be handsome in detail. The decorations are to be costly. The polished floor of the showroom is to be covered with an immense carpet and the aisles are large enough to permit an excellent promenade for the throngs that are expected each day.

Walter H. Snell, a member of the Boston American League baseball team and captain of the 1913 nine at Brown University, has been appointed instructor in physical training for the current year at the Providence University, and has been given the task of developing and organizing a soccer football team for the college. The abolition of basketball as an intercollegiate sport at Brown has left a big gap in the winter athletic programme of the college.

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The shot put finds Stanford particularly strong. Sheldon of Los Angeles and Bedeau are both good for heaves of over forty feet, while in the hammer throw, Drake, King and Miller are showing good form. For the pole vault a wealth of material shows itself in Krohn, Tufts, Macomber and Saylor, all of whom have records of over twelve feet, while J. S. Hutchinson and J. E. Phillips have cleared the bar at 11ft. 11in.

Court Knight of Pasadena is one of the best broad jumpers in college. Both he and Freshman Lachmund have records of 22ft. 6in. Lachmund will have to defend the high jump. He has good opportunity to take first place in this event with Rick Templeton and Eddie Beesen out of the competition, because of his record of 6ft. 2in. K. B. West shows great promise in this event, but is hardly looked upon as a point winner this spring.

PRINCE BUILDS ANOTHER TRACK.

Jack Prince, famed twenty years ago as a racing bicycle rider, and in these days well known around Minneapolis, is now engaged in the building of a motordrome for automobile racing and is endeavoring to enlist the interest of Minneapolis capitalists in a race for the twin cities.

Prince has built several highly successful motordromes in the Far West, but remembering the enthusiasm with which Minneapolis supported bicycle racing, turned his mind toward the erection of a mile track somewhere in the midway district where patronage might be drawn from the sporting element of both cities. He has been in communication with some of his old-time friends and if matters shape themselves to suit him Prince will probably arrive in Minneapolis after the first of the year and take personal charge of the campaign, and if the matter is properly financed superintend the building of the track.

Prince, knowing the requirements of high speed, builds his tracks upon scientific principles. He has high banks with a sufficient tilt to hold a speeding motor car true to its course at better than a mile-a-minute speed. He has in mind for Minneapolis a mile track, wide and capable of holding large fields of automobiles in race events. The same track could be available for motorcycle races and upon a much safer basis than in the quarter mile or less motordrome built solely for motorcycle events.

Some of these considering the matter point out that the space in the inside of the track could be turned into athletic field purposes or used for skating purposes in the winter. Milwaukee promoters looked over the motorcycle track field here last fall, but did not arrive at any conclusion regarding building operations or location.

He Sleeps Again.

JESS WILLARD KNOCKS OUT BOER GEORGE RODEL.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW HAVEN, Dec. 29.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Jess Willard of Kansas tonight put Boer George Rodel to sleep in the ninth round of a twenty-round bout at the Casino, sending a left uppercut to the Boer's jaw that stretched him unconscious on the mat till long after the count. He was revived by his seconds, and carried, limp, from the ring, although he said later that he would suffer no ill effects from his thumping.

Up to the eigth round Willard had a shade the better of the mill, although he punched Rodel fiercely in the second, and drew first blood from the Boer's nose in the third.

Rodel finished the third with a stiff jab at Willard's jaw, and the fighting was even in the fourth. In the fifth, Willard outpointed Rodel, flooring him with a left swing for the count of seven. Rodel forced the fighting in the sixth, but made little headway. Willard landed his first effective uppercut in the seventh, with Rodel hanging on the ropes, but the Boer cleverly writhed out of the clinch. Rodel came back strong in the opening of the ninth, rushing Willard to the ropes, but Willard, after missing several smashes, drove home two uppercuts, the first landing on Rodel's wind, the second on his jaw, sending him to dreamland.

Sir Thomas Lipton's new challenger for the America's cup, Shamrock IV, is the first yacht to be built in England under the American rule measurements. She will probably be launched next April and be ready to begin sailing trials in May for the preliminary tuning up before crossing the Atlantic Ocean to meet the American defender.

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CHARGES NOT PREPAID ON NEW MOTOR NUMBERS.

State Officials Send Them by Express at Twice the Cost by Parcel Post — Postmaster Harrison Pays Three Times as Much as if Uncle Sam Had Delivered Them—Poor Business.

BY BERT C. SMITH.

HAVE you received your new automobile numbers yet?

If not, you have a surprise coming. They will reach you by express and the charges will be 50 per cent. greater than if they had been sent by the State authorities at Sacramento through the parcel post. And the charges will not be prepaid.

Your two new numbers, red paint included, weigh exactly three pounds. The express charges, which are not prepaid, amount to exactly 45 cents.

Postmaster W. H. Harrison has received his numbers and because he resides in the Wilshire district, at No. 237 Kingsley drive, his two numbers cost 45 cents. The express charges were 45 cents and the delivery charges just 20 cents extra.

Of course, Postmaster Harrison was puzzled. It was hard for him to explain why those numbers had not been sent to him through parcel post. He did not discuss the good or bad business policy of paying more than 50 per cent. extra for those numbers, but he gave the rates by parcel post, which are at least interesting to every automobile owner.

FROM HEADQUARTERS.

"We are in the fourth zone," said Postmaster Harrison. "Those numbers could have been sent to every automobile owner in Los Angeles and vicinity for 20 cents. The reading matter inside for 2 cents extra. This would have meant that my number would have reached me at a cost to myself of 22 cents less than I paid.

"Autoists living in San Francisco could have benefited by the even lower rate, and as they are much closer to Sacramento, the numbers could have been sent there for 8 cents a pair. Then, while we are figuring that way, it is of interest to note that the Sacramento autoist can avoid all express or postal charges and get his number for nothing as far as delivery charges are concerned."

The postmaster did not touch on the peculiar business policy which prompted the State officials to send those numbers by express. It makes no difference to Postmaster Harrison other than the fact that he would be pleased to have his friends reap the benefit of any lower rate which might make them feel that this new Motor Vehicle License Act is a trifle less irksome.

Those numbers are coming in ever-increasing piles, and the express clerks are kept hustling as they receive and deliver the red tags which are to grace the machines in 1914. The numbers look well, but those express charges have already created a loud protest, as they seem to be entirely unnecessary.

DEALERS EXEMPT.

Transportation charges are prepaid to automobile dealers, or at least, those blanks sent out by the Motor Vehicle Division of the State Department of Engineering state that the charges are to be prepaid. A special provision is made to the dealers and reads:

"Fees: Operating not more than five automobiles, $50. Then in parenthesis (including five pairs number plates charges prepaid.")

Now to a private individual owning one or more machines it seems the State has no desire to pay any charges. Several of the numbers have arrived and in each instance the charges were not prepaid. One auto list in Los Angeles, who has a stable of four cars, has paid, under protest, a license of $98. He hopes he has made a mistake in the amount, but it looks as if he is right. Now he is figuring how much he will have to pay for the express charges on those numbers. They will weigh twelve pounds.

Owners of Ford cars are paying well for their twenty-horse-power machines. Their numbers weigh just the same. Their license of $10 is increased by 45 cents. The Buick owners are on a sliding scale from the twenty to the thirty-five-horse-power class. They pay either $15 or $20.

Now if you are in the high-priced division and own one of those high-powered cars you will pay from $20 to $30 each year and as you probably live in the district where the extra delivery charges are in force those numbers will cost you 65 cents a package no matter how loud a roar you make.

HOW OLD ARE YOU?

In addition to all of those you are forced to tell your age, even if you are a dainty chauffeuse, the color of your hair, your weight, and several other little things and by the time you have finished with that red tape you are in no condition to meet even your closest friend.

Here is the scale under which we are now operating:

For a motorcycle, with right to operate same, $2.

For an automobile of less than twenty horsepower, $5.

For a motor car of twenty horsepower, but not more than twenty-nine, $10.

Machines of thirty to thirty-nine horsepower inclusive, $15.

Then when you get into the forty-horse-power class the rate jumps for machines of from forty to forty-nine horsepower, $20 and from fifty to fifty-nine horsepower, $25, and then from sixty horsepower and over $30.

Think what satisfaction it is to own a 120-horse-power Flat racer, like Attorney E. E. Hewlett, and realize that when you pay on those two big machines that you can fool the State under this last provision, which makes your 120-horse-power cars just half-price under this remarkable new motor vehicle license act.

Palace Afloat.

FINE PRIVATE YACHT SAILING FOR SOUTH.

Jackling's new yacht, Cyprus,

Which will sail from this port today for southern waters.

ON HER maiden cruise, the palatial steam yacht Cyprus, owned by D. C. Jackling of Salt Lake City, will sail today from the outer harbor for San Diego and thence to Salina Cruz, Corinto and other Central American ports.

Her multi-millionaire owner arrived in Los Angeles yesterday, and will go aboard his new cruising yacht early this morning. At San Diego Jackling will take aboard his party of friends who will sail with him on a two months' cruise in southern waters.

The Cyprus is the largest and finest yacht on the Pacific Coast, being 232 feet in length, twenty-eight-foot beam and twelve and a half-foot draft. Nearly a million dollars has been expended in the hull and equipment of this floating palace. The hull is of steel and has every modern device for safety and comfort. Two four-cylinder, triple-expansion engines provide power for the twin screws, which drive the vessel at a maximum speed of eighteen nautical miles per hour. The run from San Francisco to this port was made at a speed of but fifteen miles per hour, as there was no need to make a hurried trip.

All of the inside woodwork on the Cyprus is of teak and Thibet oak and mahogany. Sixty guests can be accommodated by the owner in luxurious staterooms on the main and lower deck, these rooms being en suite with large bathrooms between. On the main deck forward is a cluster of these suites, then the drying-room and electric ovens, which connect with the galley. Amidships is the spacious music-room. As the owner is considerable of a hunter and fisher, a room is provided for a whole armory of shooting irons and every variety of fishing tackle. Going aft on the starboard side is the secretary's cabin office and bath, while on the port side are Jackling's own quarters, which are very luxurious. The library extends the full width of the ship. The furniture and fittings here are of mahogany. The whole after end of the ship on this deck is taken up by the lounging-room, which is well named.

On the lower deck the guests' rooms and baths occupy the forward end of the boat, while the galley, pantry and engine-rooms are immediately abaft.

On the upper deck, a large dining saloon occupies the front of the superstructure, while a smoking-room looks out aft to the after or promenade deck, which is covered with an awning.

Off the bridge is the captain's stateroom and chartroom. On the lower deck forward the officers have their staterooms, and in the bow is the forecastle, where the seamen are well provided with bunks and shower baths.

Forty-five men make up the complement of officers and crew. Most of these men have been picked from the New York Yacht Club cruisers, special inducements being given by the owner to get the men on the Coast.

Equipped with wireless and seven launches and lifeboats, the yacht has every known device for the safety of the guests and crew.

The burgee of the New York Yacht Club and the owner's private flag are not only flown aloft, but appear on every piece of china and glass in the dining saloon and pantry.

Capt. C. W. McNally is the navigating officer of the Cyprus, and is very proud of his berth on this the finest yacht on the Coast.

Immediately after Jackling arrived in his private car yesterday morning he went to the harbor to inspect the yacht. He received a number of friends on board. He will take a motor car ride over the city this morning before sailing.

We Need Them.

TWO STARS FOR VANDERBILT.

Oldfield and De Palma to Shine at Santa Monica.

Mercer Car in Limelight for February Meet.

Grand Prize Race Attracts Big Motor Car Drivers.

Ralph De Palma, the famous racing driver, is delighted with the prospect of coming to California for the Vanderbilt and grand prize races. In a letter to George Bentel of the Simplex-Mercer Pacific Coast agency De Palma said he had heard that the Vanderbilt and Grand Prize races were to be held on the Santa Monica courses in February and that he was pleased with the prospect.

"Unless present plans do not materialize," wrote De Palma, "I will be out to drive a Mercer in the big races. As soon as everything is definitely decided I will start for the Coast, as I want to have a chance to spend considerable time on the course.

"I learned in my former races there that more time is required for workouts than is given the cars. A man must study the course at the very time of day the races are to be run."

Barney Oldfield, who will probably drive one of the other Mercers in both the Grand Prize and Vanderbilt, has previously expressed his opinion that the drivers should have an opportunity of trying out on the course at the time the race is to be run and not before daylight, such as has been the custom. Barney's principal reason is that it is impossible to keep warm before sun-up with the car traveling at eighty or ninety miles an hour.

There is no doubt but that speed eats up tires. The motor car driver who never goes over thirty miles an hour will have little tire trouble. It's the reckless, hit-'em-up man who is always complaining about tires.

"Do not drive fast around the curves if you want to save your tires," is the advice of W. D. Newerf, coast distributor for Miller tires.

"Taking turns at a high rate of speed puts a terrific strain on the side walls of the tire, and if the car is inclined to skid it is very wearing on the rubber.

"Every man who drives a car knows when he is driving too fast. By taking a curve at a conservative speed means the loss of only a fraction of a second, if any. Tearing around at a dangerous speed satisfies the nerves of the nervous individual who is showing the haste.

"The man who slides his wheels when he stops is also destroying tires, and likewise the man who starts with a jerk."

Soccer.

SAN DIEGO NOMADS READY FOR UNITEDS NEW YEAR'S.

SOCCER enthusiasts will have a chance to see a good game played when the San Diego Nomads and the United soccer teams meet on New Year's Day at Manual Arts. Both teams have been very successful this season and an exciting contest is expected.

The Nomads are champions of the San Diego County League and have also won the Jessop cup. They are coming to this city with a splendid reputation.

There were many fast teams in the southern league and the Nomads were forced to show some rare skill to come out victorious.

Manager McPriest of the Nomads is in town and he says his team will arrive at 6 a.m. on the morning of the game. The players are all in good condition, so the trip up to Los Angeles will not lessen their chances in any way.

The United team was weakened considerably last Sunday by the loss of Mathe Chasse, but they hope to have the best team on the field New Year's Day.

The Uniteds play a very fast game. Their play is featured by fast kicking and heavy charging.

Tommy Low, manager of the Uniteds, was somewhat downcast over the team's defeat at the hands of the Rangers last Sunday. The Rangers beat his team by the score of 7 to 0.

In the first season the Uniteds held their opponents down to a small score, but in the last part they weakened and the Rangers were able to score repeatedly. However, it is generally admitted that there is not a seven-goal difference between the two teams, as was shown to the fans last Sunday.

Judging from their past performances, the game will be a hotly-contested affair throughout. The men who will participate in the game are all experienced players and know every angle of the sport, consequently the spectators who journey out to Manual Arts Field on Thursday should have a chance to see the game played as it should be.

The game will commence at 2:30. The admission will be 25 cents and ladies are to be admitted free.

BERKELEY BRIEFS.

[Special Correspondence of The Times.]

UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA, Dec. 29.—The holiday season has brought no halt to crew-training this year. The new commodore, Stephenson, has a squad of aquatic aspirants showing up at the Estuary every day, anxious for work. Just at present he is teaching them the rudiments of his own particular stroke and enlightening them in the art of keeping the briny deep from pouring into the shell with each call of the coxswain.

Stephenson has rather a peculiar proposition to face this year, his first at California, and if he can make good and put out a varsity that can show against Stanford and Washington, his place will be secure. Here is what the new coach is up against. Both the freshman and varsity crews last season were trained to the Cornell stroke. It was not until late in the training period that any degree of proficiency was attained, but the attainment was not sufficient to withstand the superior competition of Washington and Stanford. Now Stephenson brings his own varsity stroke with him, and to train it into a varsity using a new stroke last year will be an almost insurmountable task in the time left for work. So that he must either get what he can out of an old style or take a chance of using his own method on short notice.

It is obviously impractical to try and change the varsity stroke at this late date, for it is no easy matter to break away from old form. The varsity, then, from all present indications will follow the old style with modifications. The freshmen, however, are now being taught Stephenson's own stroke and it is upon them that the coach is placing his greatest attention. If he can develop a good squad trained in his own particular system he will have the nucleus of a strong varsity the following year.

With the bilge-water bailed out it comes down to this, little change will be made in the varsity stroke and the best possible will be done under the old system; the babes are to be taught the new style with the hope of making them the backbone of the 1915 varsity.

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A BLUNDER IN EDEN

A Short Story

By Fleta Campbell Springer

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A profoundly absorbing romance. The wonderful voice of a plain, colorless little woman stirs the fancies of a half-blase young millionaire as she sings in a cafe. But his dream—and hers, too—comes nearly being shattered through a blunder. This is a love story distinctly out of the ordinary, and the wedding is left to the reader. The illustrations, too, are cleverly handled by Adrien Machefert.

SPEEDING UP THE AMERICAN HEN

An Article

With Photographs,

By Edward I. Farrington

With the price of fresh eggs per dozen dangerously close to the dollar mark, the prolific egg-laying hen just now holds more than ordinary interest. What is to be done to coax the American hen to respond to the demand that she do her duty? Mr. Farrington, an expert breeder and authority, advances in this article many practical suggestions to increase profits for poultrymen and cut down expenses for the consumer. The article is not only timely—it is VALUABLE.

A LITTLE FLYER IN BOXES

By Peter B. Kyne

Illustrations by Robert W. Amick

The concluding instalments of this two-part story finds Reuben K. Pitcher confronting a catastrophe. Brought down with double pneumonia through overwork and strain, he very nearly meets his business Waterloo, for it is rain that almost washes him out of a business existence—and right here Miss Natalie McQueen becomes active. It is her level head and foresight that saves the day, and the way she does it furnishes an exciting climax.

COVER DESIGN

By Frederick S. Duncan

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The contempt sentence arose out of the injunction of the District Supreme Court against boycotting the Bucks Stove and Range Company. The District Court of Appeals reduced the sentence imposed by the trial court from one year to thirty days. It also reduced jail sentences imposed on John Mitchell, former member of the American Federation of Labor Executive Council, and Frank Morrison, secretary of the American Federation of Labor, to a $500 fine for each. Oral arguments as to the validity of all the sentences will be made before the court about January 5.

One of the principal points relied upon by the labor leaders is that contempt of court is a crime, and that prosecution thereof is limited to three years in the district.

Amigos.

SAYS FILIPINOS LOVE WILSON.

QUEZON ALSO LOUDLY PRAISES GOV.-GEN. HARRISON.

Resident Commissioner from the Islands in Congress Declares the President's New Policy Has Met With Enthusiastic Approval by the Natives.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 29.—Manuel L. Quezon, resident commissioner from the Philippines in Congress, asserted upon his return today from Manila that since the announcement of President Wilson's Philippine policy the Filipinos are more friendly towards the Americans than ever before and that they new look to the United States, as well as to its representatives in the Philippines, as their real benefactors. Quezon went to the Philippines with Gov.-Gen. Harrison.

"Gov. Harrison had been in the Philippines fully two months before I left the islands," said Quezon, "and in that time his popularity had increased and the affairs of the country, both political and economic, have been growing better. Undoubtedly there could have been made no better appointment for that important post.

"The policy of President Wilson as outlined in his message delivered to the Filipino people by Gov.-Gen. Harrison, has met with the enthusiastic approval of the people of the islands. The effect of the new policy on business, in so far as business can be affected by a governmental policy, has been for the good. One result has been the improvement of the relations between the Filipinos and the Americans so that there is now a business co-operation among them. Gov. Harrison already has gained the love of the Philippine people. Acting upon his recommendations, the Philippine legislation has introduced administrative changes resulting in the saving of several million pesos (a peso is half a dollar) in the government expenses, as well as increased efficiency.

CALIFORNIA IN LINE.

Many Banks From Southern Portion of State Notify Treasury They Will Join Federal Association.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON BUREAU OF THE TIMES, Dec. 29.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Up to today the following California banks had signified their intention to the Treasury to join the Federal Reserve Association, all of the notifications arriving by telegraph: Anglo-Paris National Bank, San Francisco; Bank of Santa Monica, Santa Monica; American National, Monrovia; National Bank of Riverside, Riverside; First National, Pomona; Ontario National, Ontario; First National, Tulare; First National, Modesto; Colton National, Colton; Crown City National and Crown City Savings and Trust Company, Pasadena; United States National and American National, San Diego.

Game Barred from the Mails.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 29.—[By A. P. Night Wire.] Postmaster-General Burleson today barred from the mails any parcel containing the body of any wild animal or bird killed in violation of the laws of any State, Territory or District.

Approve Army Reorganization.

WASHINGTON BUREAU OF THE TIMES, Dec. 29.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The Associated Chambers of Commerce of the Pacific Coast have notified Senator Works that they approve of the plans of the War Department for the reorganization of the United States army.

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There were reports today at the Treasury Department indicating the path which the two Cabinet officers are to travel in locating the Federal reserve districts and cities will not be rosy.

According to the word that reached Washington, there are several cities which would prefer to have reserve banks located in centers like New York and Chicago, than in their own smaller communities. Since the capitalization of the reserve banks represents a percentage of the capital and surplus of its member banks, a reserve bank in New York or Chicago would have vastly larger resources and loaning ability than one located, for instance, in Milwaukee or St. Paul and Minneapolis. If Boston were put in the New York district, the capital of the New York reserve bank would be so much the greater and Boston might be able to take care of New England through a branch of the New York reserve bank. This side of the question probably will be put before the Organization Committee in a number of cities.

Informal applications continued to

THREE VESSELS LOST.

Storm Sweeps Across Gulf of Mexico Sinking British Schooner and Two Barks.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

MOBILE (Ala.) Dec. 29.—Three vessels lost, several more missing and the fate of their crews in doubt is the toll of the Christmas storm that swept the Gulf of Mexico. With the arrival here today of the schooner George F. Schannell bearing the crew of the British schooner Lord of Avon, all doubt as to the fate of the latter vessel vanished. The Lord of Avon joined the barks Milwa and Sidar, whose crews were rescued just before the ships sank during the storm.

The greatest anxiety tonight was felt for the American brig Motley and the schooners Glenafton and M. Achorn, which sailed from Mobile for Cuban ports before the storm broke. They have not been reported at their destinations.

Capt. Lawrence of the Lord of Avon declared the storm was the heaviest he ever had experienced on the gulf. He said few small craft could have withstood the heavy seas.

A dispatch from Tampa today told of a schooner in distress in the storm 120 miles west of Cedar Keys. The tug Edgar F. Coney tonight was searching for the disabled vessel.

FIRE IN PENITENTIARY.

Office Building and Cell House Burn at the New Mexico State Prison Near Santa Fe.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SANTA FE (N. M.) Dec. 29.—Fire in the New Mexico State penitentiary, one mile from Santa Fe, this morning destroyed the roofs of the main office building and one cell house. The damage is estimated at $15,000, covered by insurance. The fire is supposed to have started in accumulations of paper in the ventilators of the cell house.

Two hundred prisoners are lodged in the cell house where the blaze started, but all except five were at work. Gov. McDonald, fearing an outbreak by the 200 inmates, rushed two companies of the National Guard to the scene. No attempt at escape was made.

WIFE ASKS FIRST CHANCE.

Will Beg Besieged Husband to Surrender From Abandoned Mine Rather Than Be Smoked Out.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

PINEVILLE (Ky.) Dec. 29.—The plea of the wife of "Happy" Jack Hendrickson, leader of the Hendrickson clan of moonshiners, besieged in an abandoned mine near here, may cause the fugitives to surrender tomorrow. Mrs. Hendrickson learned that preparations were being made to smoke out the clan and asked that she be first given a chance to beg her husband and his followers to surrender.

PRESENTS OLD WILL.

Sister of the Late Cardinal Rampolla Asks That Seals Be Removed From His Residence.

[BY CABLE AND A. P. TO THE TIMES.]

ROME, Dec. 29.—The removal of the seals from the residence of the late Cardinal Rampolla was requested today by his sister, Baroness Carolina Rampolla-Pezzana. She presented to the court the late prelate's testament, dated 1889, according to which she is the only heir, her brother having died in the meantime. If no opposition is raised by interested parties, the removal of the seals probably will take place tomorrow.

Schooner Lost; Crew Saved.

MOBILE (Ala.) Dec. 29.—[By A. P. Night Wire.] Loss of the British schooner Lord of Avon in a storm in the Gulf of Mexico last Friday was learned of here today, when the schooner George F. Scannel arrived, bringing the Avon's crew.

SEEK MOUNTAIN CLIMBERS.

PASADENA, Dec. 30.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] A mountain-climbing party of twelve that started out early yesterday morning and was to have come back by nightfall, at midnight had failed to return and relatives and friends have gone out in automobiles in search of them. Among the members of the missing party are Miss F. O. Erickson and the Misses Helen and Florence Howe, members of the Epworth League of the Altadena Methodist Church. They took the trail leading into the Los Flores Canyon, west of Mt. Lowe, and evidently took the wrong trail in returning. Though they had to spend a night in the rain, it is not likely that they will be lost long.

Leaky Schooner Towed In.

NORFOLK (Va.) Dec. 29.—[By A. P. Night Wire.] The revenue cutter Onandaga passed in the Virginia capes today, towing the schooner Nellie W. Craig of New York with a crew of six, which was in distress off Little Kinnakeet life-saving station on the North Carolina coast. The Craig has disarranged steering gear and is leaking slightly.

The Mahukona Is Safe.

SEATTLE (Wash.) Dec. 29.—[By A. P. Night Wire.] The lumber schooner Mahukona, reported in a dispatch to Merchants' Exchange as having been lost on one of the Hawaiian islands, is safe and on her way to South Africa. The report of her loss was caused by the misreading of a code message from Honolulu.

Vedrines in Cairo.

CAIRO (Egypt) Dec. 29.—[By Cable and A. P.] Jules Vedrines, the French aviator, arrived today at Cairo, thus bringing to a successful end a flight of nearly 3000 miles, which began several weeks ago from Paris.

"Mona Lisa" in Milan.

MILAN (Italy) Dec. 29.—[By Cable and A. P.] The "Mona Lisa," which was handed yesterday over to the keeping of the French Ambassador at Rome, reached here today and was placed on exhibition in the Brera gallery. So great was the pressure of the crowds around the gallery that 200 police had difficulty in preserving order.

The Kaiser Would Bargain.

BERLIN, Dec. 29.—[By Cable and A. P.] Germany today refused the request of the United States government for the "most favored nation" treatment of American steel, rubber shoes, etc., but it is hinted that she is willing to bargain for this if the United States will make an equivalent offer in return for it.

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Handsome coats of rich matelasse materials, two-toned effects. Seven-eighths and full length models, and there are several styles to select from. They all have convertible collars that may be buttoned up high about the throat if desired. All sizes from 16 years for misses and small women up to 44 bust measure. They were recently marked $19.50 as a special, and now they are still further reduced to $10.00 for today.

Sport Coats $7.95
$15.00 Values
In materials you can have your choice of — astrakhan, sibeline, chinchillas, wide wale Bedford cords and novelties. All favorite colors, including golf green, terra cotta, tan and mixtures. Sizes from 14 years to 36 bust measure.

Dresses at $5.00
$7.95 Values.
What is left of this $7.95 line of dresses will go on sale Today at $5.00. Bedford cords, serges, diagonals, Panamas, stripes and checks. Some of them set off with collars of Persian silk and lace. Sizes from 14 to 44.

Radical Cuts in Fur Prices

Our season for selling furs is very nearly over, even though you still have a long time to wear them. Phenomenal price reductions have been made to clear out the remainder of our stock quickly.

$12.50 Iceland Fox Sets for $8.35
$18.50 Iceland Fox Sets for $12.35
$22.50 Iceland Fox and Imitation Ermine Sets.. $15
$23.50 Alaska Fox and Imitation Ermine Sets for $15.67
$17.50 Kit Coney Sets for $11.67
$12.50 Black Coney Sets for $8.34
$10.95 Natural Tiger Sets for $7.30
$20.00 Red Fox Sets for $13.34
$40.00 Red Fox Sets for $26.67
$35.00 Pointed Fox Sets for $23.34

These Charming and Dainty Waists Are Only 79c
Ordinarily it would be hard to find their equal under $1 or $1.25. Besides the two models in the illustration there are several others with low necks and short sleeves, with trimmings of lace, embroidery and tucks. All sizes from 34 to 44.

May Manton's Patterns on Sale Here—10c Each

Hale's Good Goods

RALPHS GROCERY CO.
SELLS FOR LESS Inc.

Importers of Horniman's Pure Tea, Finest Ceylon and India Tea Packed.
1-4 lb. Tin ..... 13c. ½ lb. Tin ..... 26c. 1 lb. Tin 50c

SUGAR
Dark Brown, 23 pounds $1.00
Light Brown, 23 pounds $1.00
CLARK'S GRANULATED 20½ pounds $1.00
CANE GRANULATED 19½ pounds $1.00

CHEESE
Imported Swiss, per pound 35c
EDAM (Imported)
Whole Cheese 25c
UNDERWOOD'S CLAM CHOWDER
No. 2 Can, Regular 25c size 14c

CANDY
Nobetime Sugar Creams 2 pounds 25c
LION MIXTURE (Sugar creams and jellies.) 2 pounds 25c
EMPSON'S VINE RUN PEAS, per can 11c

TWO STORES
314 SO. SPRING ST. Broadway 1140 Home 60081
CORNER PICO & NORMANDIE West 99 Home 60081

You'd know Campbell's Tomato Soup with your eyes shut.

You'd know it from other tomato soups by its fragrant aroma, its delightful racy flavor and its wholesomeness.

It is cooked just enough. It is not oversweet. It has the smacking relish of a sound red-ripe tomato fresh-picked and perfectly seasoned.

Blended with other choice materials, according to the exclusive Campbell formula, it combines delicacy with a nourishing richness peculiar to itself.

In short, there's no tomato soup like Campbell's.

Why not enjoy it again *today?*

21 kinds 10c a can

Campbell's Soups

Look for the red-and-white label

$20 Suits for $20

Even though we pay only $600 per month rental for three floors (undoubtedly the lowest clothing rent in the city,) we do not claim to sell you "$30 suits for $20"—for that is impossible.

—but we do claim that at $20 we can sell you the best men's and young men's suits and overcoats that $20 can buy anywhere in the city.

Clever and distinctive new garments—hand-tailored by experts—reflecting the Season's cleverest styles—and backed by Wood Bros.' UNLIMITED GUARANTEE of perfect fit, and absolutely satisfactory service.

The new models are ready—see them today.

Unsurpassable values in other lines men's, young men's suits, overcoats and raincoats

$15 to $35

Wood Bros.
Good Clothes—343 So. SPRING.

Classified Liners.

Times Classified Rates: The rate for inserting Want ads. in The Daily Times is 1c per word each insertion; minimum charge, 25c; except under the following classifications, the rate for which is 2c per word daily, 2½c per word Sunday, minimum charge 30c daily, 35c Sunday: "Society Meetings," "Personals," "Special Notices," "Church Notices, Miscellaneous," "Stocks and Bonds," "Money to Loan, Salary and Chattels," "Physicians," "Medical," "Detectives," "Sanatoriums" and "Baths and Massage."

The Times reserves the right to classify all advertisements under appropriate headings.

Minimum space for classified advertisements ordered for more than one insertion, 14 words.

Sunday real estate advertisements, to be classified properly, must be in The Times office before 8 o'clock Saturday night. Other classified "Wants," "To Lets," etc., received over counter or by telephone until 11 p.m. Saturday. Ads. received after closing hours for each division will be inserted under heading "Too Late to Classify." Rate 1½ cents per word.

The Sunday circulation of The Times exceeds 80,000 copies, and more "liners" are regularly printed in its columns than in the five other Los Angeles newspapers combined.

Telephone your want advertisements. Ring up "The Times," Main 8200, Home 10391, any time of day or night, and secure prompt and careful attention.

The Times cannot guarantee accuracy or assume responsibility for errors of any kind occurring in telephone advertisements.

The Times will not be responsible for more than one incorrect insertion of any advertisement ordered for more than one time.

Advertisers should retain receipts given by The Times in payment for "liners," as no mistakes can be rectified without them.

The Times will not accept phone or verbal orders to discontinue or change "till forbid" advertisements.

SPECIAL NOTICES—

ATTENTION— CLASSIFIED ADVERTISERS. The regular issue of The Times of January 1, in which the rate for "Liners," as usual, will be only one cent a word, will be sent by many subscribers, in connection with the Midwinter Number, to out-of-town friends, thereby largely increasing the circulation of that particular issue. Take advantage of this opportunity to exploit real estate propositions, business chances, stocks, bonds, automobiles, buggies, live stock, household furniture, furnished rooms, flats, apartments, board, and other business ventures at a minimum cost. TIMES "LINERS" GET RESULTS.

NOTICE OF ANNUAL MEETING OF STOCKHOLDERS. Notice is hereby given that the annual meeting of the stockholders of the City Builders Investment Company will be held at the office of the company, room 307 Title Insurance Bldg., Los Angeles, California, Tuesday, January 13, 1914, at the hour of 10:30 o'clock a.m.; for the purpose of electing the board of directors to serve for the ensuing year, and for such other business as may properly come before the meeting. By order of the board of directors. GEORGE N. TURNER, Secretary.

PARTNERS WANTED— Two or three men with $2500 to $5000, with references, to invest in automobile agency. Price of car $425. Telephone for appointment, S. A. BRESLER, Hotel Armondale, previously of Detroit, Mich.

HAND-MADE BABY LINEN AT REASONABLE prices is our specialty. A few more orders can now be booked for Layettes, Shortcoatings, or Single garments. Write your requirements and price list will be mailed. Address 230 WEST 40TH PLACE, city.

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISEMENTS— for the real estate section of Sunday's Times will be printed under the heading of "Too Late to Classify," if not received before 8 p.m. Saturdays.

FOR SALE—GOOD, SOUND PUMPKIN. $6.00 PER ton delivered any part of city. Excellent stock feed. PHONE 41128, BOYLE 7.

CESSPOOLS CLEANED IN ONE TO TWO LOADS BY the LOS ANGELES SANITARY CO., phones 59146, or Wilshire 593.

IF YOUR ROOF LEAKS, SCOTT, THE ROOFER, 1702 S. Main. South 377. Home 23808.

FLORISTS AND NURSERIES—

PULVERIZED SHEEP FERTILIZER FOR LAWNS and flowers. GEORGE SCHORNICK, 118 North Mott. Boyle 1065; 41526.

PERSONAL—
Business.

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PERSONAL— MRS. MASSON. The noted palmist of London, Eng., may be consulted at 322 S. SPRING ST. by those desiring careful, conscientious and reliable hand readings from one of the foremost palmists of the day. HIGH-CLASS PATRONAGE SOLICITED.

PERSONAL— HENLEY, THE SUCCESSFUL PSYCHIC. Before you go into anything of importance or undertake anything serious, or before you make any change, you should consult the master mind of psychics. 217 W. THIRD, near Hill.

PERSONAL — WANTED—RELIABLE WOMAN TO share investment and management in small sanatorium, foothills, with physician of standing; excellent opportunity. Address J, box 63, TIMES OFFICE.

PERSONAL—LADIES, ASK YOUR DRUGGIST FOR Chichesters Pills, the Diamond Brand. For 25 years known as best, safest, always reliable. Take no other. Chichesters Diamond Brand Pills are sold everywhere.

PERSONAL—PROF. ALTHOUSE, NOTED ASTROLOGER and palmist. 30 years in Los Angeles. Largest practice; highest grade of work. High-class patronage solicited. 530½ S. BROADWAY.

PERSONAL—CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING PATRONS of The Times are requested to submit copy for advertisements in the Sunday issue as early as possible.

PERSONAL—MEN AND BOYS TO SELL THE RED Ripper, comical paper novelty for the big noisy New Year's eve fun. 740 S. MAIN ST., room 20.

PERSONAL—MME. JOSEPH OF CHICAGO, PALMIST and psychic, readings, 50c. 822 E. 15TH ST. Take Griffith ave. car.

PERSONAL—MME. ORA, PALMIST, PSYCHIC. Best 50c reading in city. 308½ S. SPRING.

PERSONAL—TOMACH'S WIGS AND TOUPEES ARE best. Get them at GERMAIN BLDG., 224 So. Spring st. Barber shop in connection.

PERSONAL — ELECTRIC VACUUM CLEANER FOR rent, $1 a day. Free delivery. HOME 25191.

WANTED—
Help, Male.

NOTE—Applicants for positions are advised not to send original recommendations in answer to ads. Send duplicates only.

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WANTED—IMMEDIATELY, TUESDAY, 2 CAPABLE YOUNG MEN OVER 21, TO PREPARE FOR CUSTOMHOUSE AND INTERNAL REVENUE POSITIONS. APPLICATIONS MUST BE FILED IMMEDIATELY AS THEY MUST BE RECORDED IN SAN FRANCISCO BY JANUARY 1. THESE POSITIONS PAY WELL AND GIVE FINE FUTURE. FOR SUCCESSFUL COACHING SEE IMMEDIATELY, MR. HOFF, 629-30 SECURITY BLDG. (SEE INSTR. ADV.)

WANTED—SALESMEN— I have a subdivision 7 minutes from the City Hall, on four 5-cent car lines, at less than $500 per lot. If you want to get a start in the real estate business, this is just the thing for dull times. We want some energetic young men and want them in a hurry. Call 718 STORY BLDG. A. G. GIBBS CO.

WANTED—ANNOUNCEMENT. $100. HELP YOURself and we will help you. County civil service examination, January 5, 1914. City examinations soon. Enroll at once and take advantage of coaching by practical instructors, with years of experience. Class now forming for position of Deputy Assessor, Clerk, Auditor and Tax Collector. Salary $100 and up. Day and night classes. Call at office and classrooms, rooms 327-328-329 MERCHANTS TRUST BLDG., 207 S. Broadway. See Instruction adv. SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA CIVIL SERVICE SCHOOL.

WANTED— FIRST-CLASS REAL ESTATE SALESMEN. We are on the eve of great, new and extensive developments in EL SEGUNDO, and invite first-class real estate salesmen to come in to see us. We can make them an excellent proposition on something that is alive and with real growth, backing, and possibilities second to none in the State. Apply THE EL SEGUNDO LAND AND IMPROVEMENT COMPANY, 609 S. Hill st., Los Angeles, Cal.

WANTED—WE HAVE AN OPENING FOR A FIRST-class specialty salesman on a proposition which is entirely new in Southern California. Applicants must be young, aggressive, of first-class appearance, with A-1 references. Strictly commissions, no advances. Demonstrator will take desirable applicants into territory and prove to them the proposition is good for from $50 t $100 per week regularly. See MR. VON YEAST, 607 I. W. Hellman Bldg.

WANTED—REAL ESTATE SALESMEN. If you have had trouble overcoming the high price objection this will appeal to you. We want a few high-class salesmen for a new subdivision—close in, 5c car fare, lots 57 feet front, 25 minutes from city, in restricted neighborhood; four houses built on property; two being built; good commission; lots priced very much under market. Call 820 STORY BLDG. before 10 a.m. Ask for Mr. Price.

WANTED—AMBITIOUS WORKMEN TODAY, ONLY few months required learn trade of automobile, electricity, plumbing, brick laying, on actual contract jobs; not school toys. Some students earn $2 per day. 700 students, $20,000 contract jobs. Six years' experience. UNITED TRADE SCHOOL CONTRACTING CO., 234 Aliso st., 2 blocks east and 1 block north of postoffice. See ad., "Learn Trades" column.

WANTED—IMMEDIATELY, COMBINATION BOOK-keeper and stenographer, for local medical institute. Salary $80, with prospects for gentlemanly man who will interest himself in the business. Medical knowledge not essential. Good references required. ACCOUNTING EXPERT COMPANY, Office Employment Specialists, 419 Johnson Bldg. 64922.

WANTED — YOUNG MAN WITH EXPERIENCE IN department store transfer desk, or central wrapping counter; must be active, energetic, with good references; splendid permanent opportunity for advancement. Apply Tuesday, before 10 o'clock, FOREMAN & CLARK, Third floor Cit. Nat. Bank Bldg.

WANTED—SEVERAL GOOD LIVE MEN TO SELL THE BEST GOING IRRIGATED LAND PROPOSITION ON THE MARKET. HAVE GOOD LIST OF PROSPECTS. GOOD COMMISSION. GOOD MAN CAN MAKE $5000 A YEAR EASILY. APPLY E. M. CLAUSSEN, 623 S. SPRING ST. LOS ANGELES, CAL.

WANTED — TWO YOUNG MEN UNDER 30, OF neat appearance and well dressed, to prepare for traveling positions. Good pay while learning. Must be willing workers and able to finance yourselves. No investment required. Call 426 WILCOX BLDG., 8 a.m. only.

WANTED—A MAN WHO CAN KEEP A CAMP IN neat and first-class order, who can and will cook well, who will feed, care for and hunt a pack of fox hounds, also who will take good care of my saddle horses and who can ride well. See MR. PRICE, 714 Central Bldg.

WANTED—EXPERIENCED YOUNG MAN TELEphone order clerk, who can also do some shorthand; must be quick and accurate in figures and good on typewriter. Salary $75 to $85 for live, wide-awake man. Apply EDUCATIONAL EXPERT CO., 301 Fay Bldg.

WANTED—FIRST-CLASS CORPORATION ACCOUNTant, one with experience in oil accounting preferred, position north, salary satisfactory for right man; employer in town. Apply EDUCATIONAL EXPERT CO., 301 Fay Bldg.

WANTED — GROCERY DEPARTMENT MANAGER for store in Arizona; single man with California country experience wanted; salary $150, advancement. MR. D'AULE, Mercantile Reference Assn., Marsh-Strong Bldg.

WANTED—SEVERAL MEN UNDER 35 TO FIT FOR government railway mail clerks; good starting salary, $900; promotion, permanent. (See Instr. Adv.) For successful coaching see MR. HOFF, 629 Security Bldg.

WANTED—YOUNG MAN WITH SOME EXPERIence to manage routes on an established newspaper; good income assured. Permanent position; no investment; must be able to furnish bond. Address Z, box 510, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED—YOUNG MAN WITH SOME EXPERIENCE as clothing salesman, must be quick, thorough and willing to earn advancement. Apply between 10 and 12 o'clock Tuesday, FOREMAN & CLARK, third floor Cit. Nat. Bank Bldg.

WANTED—PACIFIC AUDIT & SYSTEM CO., INC. Employment Experts. Clerical—Sales—Engineering positions. Phones: Main 8590. Home F1294. 608 Fay Bldg. Third and Hill sts.

WANTED—BOOK-KEEPER, RETAIL STORE EXPErience, $75; railroad additional betterment auditing clerk, $85; grocery clerk, local experience, $65; grocery department manager, Arizona, $150. MERCANTILE REFERENCE ASSN., Marsh-Strong Bldg.

WANTED — A COMMANDANT FOR A MILITARY school: must be a college man, experienced in athletics. Splendid salary to the right man. Address H, box 237, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—CONSCIENTIOUS, MIDDLE-AGED MAN to distribute advertising matter to business offices every once in a while, $1.50 per day. Address Z, box 500, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED—LOS ANGELES CITY SALESMAN, CAPable of earning $300 per month. Apply 802 TITLE GUARANTEE BLDG., 5th and Broadway.

WANTED—100 WHITE MEN FOR MOVING PICtures. See representative, corner HILL AND TEMPLE, from 7 to 7:30 this morning.

WANTED—BRICK MEN TO FIGURE LABOR AND MATERIAL FOR BUILDING 3 CHIMNEYS AND 2 MANTELS, AT ONCE. J. M. CLOSE, 1438 N. NORMANDIE AVE. HOLLYWOOD CAR.

WANTED—FEW BRIGHT YOUNG MEN TO COACH for railway mail clerks. Beginning salary about $900; promotion. (See Instr. Adv.) For successful coaching see MR. HOFF, 629 Security Bldg.

WANTED—TUCKER'S HOTEL, RESTAURANT EMPLOYMENT AGENCY, 211½ W. 2nd st. Cooks, waiters, porters, bus boys, kitchen men, house men, pot, glass dish washers. Call TUCKER'S.

WANTED—A COUPLE OF GOOD HUSTLING MEN to work on commission basis in an established business. Desk and desk room furnished free. 403 I. W. HELLMAN BLDG.

WANTED—MAN TO SELL REAL ESTATE, NO EXperience necessary, producer can make big money. See FRED O. JONES, Tuesday a.m. at El Segundo office, 609 S. Hill st.

WANTED—EXPERIENCED NIGHT CLERK; MUST understand telephone exchange and have first-class references. Salary with room, $40 per month. SEMINOLE APTS., 620 S. Flower.

WANTED—GOOD LIVE YOUNG MAN, WILLING TO work as garage helper and drive delivery car. Apply WHITING-MEAD COMMERCIAL CO., 415 E. 9th st.

WANTED—GROCERY SALESMAN, ACQUAINTED IN the city, can receive a good proposition. Refer[illegible]. Address W, box 350, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED—NEED AT ONCE TWO SUCCESSFUL, EXperienced subscription book men; fine proposition and territory; for interview address G, box 277, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—SALESMEN AND SALESLADIES; WHEN you get tired of working dead stuff at 5 per cent commission see me. TRACY, 660 S. Hill st.

WANTED — GOOD LIVE INSURANCE SALESMAN with clean record. Address W, box 348, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED — HARDWARE SALESMAN WITH GOOD references; good opening. Address W, box 350, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED—FIRST-CLASS, NEAT-APPEARING BARber. 822 W. EIGHTH ST.

WANTED—RANCH HAND TO GO NORTH, $35. HAWLEY EMPLOYMENT CO., 234 S. Broadway.

WANTED—ERRAND BOY WITH WHEEL. CALIFORNIA MAP CO. 1228 Story Bldg.

WANTED—MEN AND BOYS TO LEARN A GOOD paying trade; automobile driving, repairing, electricity, machinist, surveying. We teach what others have failed because of better facilities. Nothing worth while can be obtained for nothing. See our ad. under "Help Wanted—Learn Trades." NATIONAL SCHOOL, 2110 W. Seventh st.

WANTED—FOR U. S. ARMY, ABLE-BODIED, UNmarried men, between ages of 18 and 35; citizens of United States, of good character and temperate habits, who can speak, read and write the English language. For information apply to RECRUITING OFFICER, Canadian Bldg., 432 S. Main st., Los Angeles, Cal.

WANTED—HUMMEL BROS. & CO., Employment Agents, Established 1891. Largest and Best Equipped Office on the Pacific Coast. Phones: Main 509. Home 10709. 116-118 E. Second st.

WANTED—FROM JANY. 1, EXPERIENCED LIVE man of good personality and acquaintance, to handle loan department of established real estate firm. ADDRESS Z, BOX 314, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED—CUSHION MAKER WANTED TO UPholster reed chairs. Address J, box 27, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—A MARRIED MAN TO MANAGE A RANCH on shares; references required; expenses advanced. 224 BRYSON BLDG., 2nd and Spring.

WANTED—BOY ABOUT 17 YEARS OLD TO WORK in dry goods store. Apply SCHAPER GOODS, 7th and Hill.

WANTED—A PRINTER WHO KNOWS THE TRADE, good appearance. Apply SMITHERAM MANUFACTURING CO., 704 W. 6th.

WANTED—BOY WITH MOTORCYCLE. APPLY AT office. M. A. NEWMARK & CO., 1248 Wholesale st.

WANTED—CARPENTER TO FIGURE LABOR ON 7-room house. Call today. CHAS. D. WAGNER, corner of Crenshaw Blvd. and Washington st.

WANTED—AUTO BODY AND WHEEL BUILDER. Must be an expert in this line of work. KIMBALL AUTO & BODY WORKS, 115 E. 10th.

WANTED—SALESMAN, SPECIALTY LINES. Excellent proposition to right men. M'CALL SALES CO., 231 I. W. Hellman Bldg.

WANTED—COMMANDANT, MILITARY SCHOOL; must be college graduate, good in athletics and drilling. Apply 444 I. W. HELLMAN BLDG.

WANTED—DRUMMER WHO HAS DONE WORK FOR vaudeville. Phone before 10 this morning. WILSHIRE 2875.

WANTED—FIRST-CLASS COPPERSMITH, WAGES $4.50 per day. Apply HUMMEL BROS. & CO., 116-118 E. 2nd st.

WANTED—HEAD WAITER, PANTRY MAN, 2 FRY cooks. TOURIST EMPLOYMENT AGENCY, 145 S. Spring. Room 212.

WANTED—AN EXPERIENCED SLOYD INSTRUCtor, for Saturday mornings. Address G, box 200, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—STRONG BOY WITH MOTORCYCLE. apply at once, CHAS. LEVY & SON, Tailors, 446-448 S. Spring st.

WANTED — SALESMAN FOR HIGH CLASS SUBscription work. Sunset Magazine, ground floor, PACIFIC ELECTRIC BLDG.

WANTED—YOUNG MAN TO PAGE. CALL NOON, 804 PANTAGES BLDG.

WANTED — AN EXPERIENCED MEAT CUTTER, references. VISALIA MEAT CO., Visalia, Cal.

WANTED—A BAKER'S HELPER WITH SOME EXperience. Apply 4720 WESTERN AVE.

WANTED—AN EXPERIENCED SLOYD TEACHER. Address E, box 237, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—COMBINATION BUTCHER AND GROcery man. HOLLYWOOD GROCERY CO.

WANTED—
Help, Male and Female. (Investment Required.)

WANTED—BANKER— Financial institution has opening for experienced man as officer at substantial salary; official of local banking institution desiring larger income is character of man wanted; moderate investment and best of references required. Confidential. Address Z, box 548, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED—STRAIGHTFORWARD MAN WHO CAN furnish $250 cash with his services to help wait on customers in old-established business. Will pay $125 per month. Pleasant work. No previous experience necessary. Particulars call Room 302, 524 SOUTH SPRING ST.

WANTED — TWENTY MEN OF ABILITY AND character who will associate themselves with a clean, high-class business of exceptional merit and opportunities, and invest a reasonable sum of money. Address H, box 34, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—HAVE POSITION FOR GOOD MAN. ONE who wants a steady position. Small investment required. See Manager, 122 E. SIXTH ST.

WANTED — MEN WITH PATENTABLE IDEAS, write RANDOLPH & CO., Patent Solicitors, Washington, D. C.

WANTED—
Help, Female.

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WANTED—FAMILY COOK, 2 ADULTS, ALTADENA, $50; Swedish or German preferred; another, Pasadena, $45; lady's maid and light upstairs, Pasadena, $35; Parlor maid and waitress, Pasadena, $35; laundress and cleaner, private family, Pasadena, $40; upstairs and child, Hollywood, $30; waitress, girls' school, $35; housekeeper and companion, lady, Ontario, $25; housegirl, 2 adults, city, $40; cook and downstairs, city, $40; another (German), 4 in family, $40; housegirl, Hollywood, $40; cook and downstairs, Hollywood, $35; many other good places, $15 to $40. Colored man and wife as cook and butler, $75. MRS. PATTEN'S EMPLOYMENT OFFICE. 218 S. Broadway.

WANTED—FIRST-CLASS FAMILY COOK, CITY, $50; another, Pasadena, $40; family cook, January 7th, $35; second girl, city, $35; another, Hollywood, $35; institution cook, city, $40; cook and second, $40-$35, must be Irish Catholic; nursery work for 11 children, $25; man and wife, cook and gardener, $65; kitchen helper for club, $30; house girl, Westgate, $40, employer here Wednesday; working housekeeper, Santa Maria, $45; house girls, city and country, $25 to $40; girl to assist, Santa Monica, $20. HAWLEY EMPLOYMENT CO., 234 S. Broadway.

WANTED—ANNOUNCEMENT. $100. HELP YOURself and we will help you. County civil service examination, January 5, 1914. City examinations soon. Enroll at once and take advantage of coaching by practical instructors, with years of experience. Class now forming for position of Deputy Assessor, Clerk, Auditor and Tax Collector. Salary $100 and up. Day and night classes. Call at office and classrooms, rooms 327-328-329 MERCHANTS TRUST BLDG., 207 S. Broadway. See Instruction adv. SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA CIVIL SERVICE SCHOOL.

WANTED—PROGRESSIVE HOUSEHOLD CLUB— 1309 S. Alvarado st.

General, 2 in family	$40
General, 2 in family, beach	$40
General, 3 in family	$35
General, 3 in family	$35
Waitress, 4 in family	$35
Upstairs, 3 in family	$35
Kitchen maid, private family	$30
Many other good places from $25 to	$40

WEST 482. 21641.

WANTED — GENERAL HOUSEGIRL, 30-35 YEARS old, 4 in family, Globe, Arizona, $35 and car fare; second maid, 2 in family, city, $35; another, 2 in family, Pasadena, $35; housegirl, 3 in family, city, $35; another, city, $35; girl to assist, $20; another, city, $15; many other housework places, $20 to $35. HENDERSON EMPLOYMENT AGENCY, 313 W. Third, between Broadway and Hill.

WANTED—FIRST-CLASS HEAD WAITRESS FOR resort hotel, wages $50 and found; pastry cook, resort hotel, $50, etc.; waitress, hotel, city, $8 a week; waitresses, resort hotel, $25, etc.; colored girl for second work, family, country, $30, etc.; house girls, city and country, $25, etc., to $40, etc. HUMMEL BROS. & CO., 116 East Second st.

WANTED — COOK, SMALL LUNCHROOM, $10 week; family cook, $50; housegirl, 2 in family, $40; Swedish housekeeper, gentleman's home, $40; many good housework places, $30 to $45. Call early. SWEDISH AND GERMAN EMPL. BUREAU, 101½ S. Broadway.

WANTED—BOOK-KEEPERS' BUREAU, FOR HIGH-grade book-keepers, stenographers and office assistants seeking positions. Telephones—64922 and Main 8690. ACCOUNTING EXPERTS COMPANY, OFFICE EMPLOYMENT SPECIALISTS. 419 Johnson Bldg.

WANTED — NORMAL SCHOOL TEACHER TO DO extra work at home. Must have good acquaintance. Good remuneration. Pleasant work, very little time required. Telephone for interview any day before 10:30 a.m. HOME 60521, MAIN 7468. Ask for Mr. Price.

WANTED—PACIFIC AUDIT & SYSTEM CO., INC. Employment Experts. Clerical—Office—Sales Positions. Clerical—Office—Sales Positions. Phones: Main 8590. Home F1294. 608 Fay Bldg. Third and Hill sts.

WANTED—WILL GIVE GOOD HOME, $3 WEEKLY to active, middle-aged or elderly woman for services light housekeeping; plain cooking; no washing, for elderly couple; permanent home to right person. Address Z, box 535, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED—CAN USE AT ONCE TWO SUCCESSFUL, experienced women on most popular subscription work ever published; reliable firm of unquestioned standing; permanent office here; will also coach for beginners. Address for interview, G, box 277, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—YOUNG WOMEN TO PREPARE FOR positions as stenographers. Special instruction for beginners or advanced students. Gregg, Pitman, Wagner. STENOGRAPHERS' TRAINING SCHOOL, Severance Bldg., Sixth and Main. See instruction course adv.

WANTED — TEN EXTRA WAITRESSES, CAFE Captain; 6 cafe waitresses; 3 chambermaids; 2 pantry women, $35 and meals; shirt finisher, $50 and found; girl to run press and neck band ironer. TOURIST EMPLOYMENT AGENCY, 145 S. Spring, Room 210.

WANTED—TUCKER'S HOTEL, RESTAURANT EMPLOYMENT AGENCY, 211½ WEST SECOND ST. Short order cook, $12; cooks, all waitresses, cafes, restaurants, hotels; serving girls, meat carvers, chambermaids, kitchen women, all kinds hotel, restaurant help. Call TUCKER'S.

WANTED—CHAMBERMAIDS, $30, $35; SERVERS, $7; waitresses, $8, $25, found; second girls, $30, $35; cooks, $30, $40; girls, general housework, $20, $40. BROADWAY EMPLOYMENT OFFICE, 707½ S. Broadway. Room 77.

WANTED—WILL GIVE SPACE ON GROUND FLOOR office free to young lady stenographer in exchange for little work and answering phones, good opening for public stenographer. Give full particulars and phone. Address E, box 226, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—THOROUGHLY EXPERIENCED SALESwomen for coats, suits and dresses. We have unusually high grade positions in this department for women with real ability. Apply early in the morning. JACOBY BROS.

WANTED—STRONG GIRL FOR GENERAL HOUSEwork and to assist in cooking in family of two. Must do small washing. $25 per month. 1040 ELDEN AVE. West 11th st. car. Call between 9 and 12 today.

WANTED—FIRST-CLASS DRESSMAKER TO MANage dressmaking department, or will rent two rooms connected with ladies' tailoring establishment to dressmaker. Apply A. GREEN & SON, 221 W. Seventh.

WANTED—SECOND MAID, SMALL FAMILY, $30; general, 2 in family, $35; two others, $35; 2 others at $30; first-class cook, 2 in family, $40. No charge unless we place you. BAXTER AGENCY, 430 S. Broadway. Room 506.

WANTED—MIDDLE-AGED WOMAN TO DO LIGHT housework and take care of convalescent woman; wages $6 per week for right party with references. CHAS. TUNNICLIFF, 6115 Piedmont ave.

WANTED—A MIDDLE-AGED WOMAN, WHO CAN cook and do the washings. One who will be one of the family. The work is very light. Salary $30. 1240 LAS PALMOS AVE., Hollywood.

WANTED — GIRL, COOKING AND GENERAL housework, small family, $30, found. See us for hotel positions of all kinds. HARKNESS & HUNTER AGENCY, 224 S. Spring. Room 309.

WANTED—A COMPETENT GIRL FOR COOKING and general housework. Must have references. Family of 2 adults and 1 child. Good wages. Phone 57324. 1762 ORCHID AVE., Hollywood.

WANTED — SALESLADY TO MAKE SMALL INvestment and sell stock on commission basis on new manufacturing proposition. Address H, box 58, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—PIANO LESSONS FOR GIRL OF 10; lady teacher preferred, living near Polytechnic High. State terms. Address B, box 305, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED—YOUNG LADY, NOT OVER 25, NEAT appearance, able to answer business phone and attend to store. Address Z, box 540, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED—COMPTOMETER OPERATOR, FAMILIAR with bill extensions; good company, salary $50. Apply early, MISS BRUNS, Mercantile Reference Assn., Marsh-Strong Bldg.

WANTED—SIX LADIES, BEAUTY CULTURE PAYS big; learn right. FLORENTINE HAIRDRESSING COLLEGE, "World's Largest," 227 Mercantile Place, near Broadway, FLORENTINE. See Instruction Course.

WANTED—MOTHER AND DAUGHTER, TWO SISters or friends, general house work in country home. At least one must be good plain cook and good laundress. Address BOX M, WHITTIER, CAL.

WANTED—TWO LADY SINGERS FOR DEC. 31, evening. Must be clever. STANDARD CAFE, 553 S. Spring st.

WANTED—A WOMAN WHO CAN DO ALL KINDS of repairing and attend to office. COSMO DYE WORKS, 1600 Cosmo st., Hollywood.

WANTED—WOMAN FOR GENERAL HOUSE WORK, 3 adults in family; no washing; $25 month; references required. Phone 71685. 2837 ROMEO ST.

WANTED—WOMAN TO CARE FOR TWO CHILdren and do some housework, no washing; wages $10 per month. Address MRS. M. BROOKS, Covina, Cal.

WANTED—HOME FOR SEMI-INVALID, WILL PAY $6 WEEK. Phone BROADWAY 3000 or HOME 53445.

WANTED—NEAT, REFINED WOMAN TO CARE for child and assist in household duties. Good home and $15 per month. CALL 28173.

WANTED—A NEAT RELIABLE WHITE WOMAN TO keep house for family of two adults. Tele. EAST 276.

WANTED—GIRL FOR GENERAL HOUSEWORK, 2 adults, 2 children. Some laundry. Glendale. Corner Second and Isabel. HOME PHONE 1102.

WANTED—COMPETENT GIRL FOR GENERAL housework, German or Swedish preferred; wages $35. Phone 71458. 2218 CAMBRIDGE ST.

WANTED—EXPERIENCED GIRL TO WORK IN candy store. Apply ORANGE BLOSSOM CANDY STORE, 211 West Fourth.

WANTED — A RELIABLE GIRL FOR GENERAL housework, family of two adults; must understand cooking. 826 BEACON.

WANTED — GOOD COOK, PRIVATE FAMILY; wages $40. Apply 70 S. ORANGE GROVE, Pasadena. References required.

WANTED—YOUNG LADY FOR DANCING TEACHER; good wages paid. Address H, box 187, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—COMPETENT COOK, $40. ALSO GERman or Swedish girl to wash dishes in small hospital, $25. 421 BYRNE BLDG.

WANTED — GIRL TO ASSIST WITH GENERAL housework. W. Sixth car. PHONE WILSHIRE 2808.

WANTED—LADY COOK FOR SMALL FAMILY ON ranch. Address MRS. F. B. MOSON, Lewis Springs, Ariz.

WANTED — SALESWOMAN FOR HIGH CLASS SUBscription work. Sunset Magazine, ground floor, PACIFIC ELECTRIC BLDG.

WANTED—GIRL FOR GENERAL HOUSEWORK, 2 adults, $20. Apply 1147 W. 20TH ST.

WANTED—A COMPETENT COOK, JEWISH ORPHANS' HOME, Huntington Park. Phone 29273.

WANTED—
Help, Male and Female. (To Learn Trades.)

WANTED—NATIONAL SCHOOL OF ENGINEERING, 2110 W. Seventh. Established 1905. The best practical mechanical school in Southern California. We teach driving, repairing and overhauling of all makes of automobiles. All work done under supervision of expert instructors. Courses in electricity and surveying, both theoretical and practical. Positions furnished to graduates. Places to work for room and board after school hours. Get free catalogue.

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WANTED—LEARN BEAUTY CULTURE, HAIR manufacturing. Students wanted. LEADER COLLEGE OF HAIR DRESSING, 228 Mercantile Place, MRS. HARRIS.

LEARN THE BARBER TRADE, WAGES WHILE learning; old-time barber instructor; position secured for graduates. NATIONAL BARBER SCHOOL, 236 S. Main.

WANTED — BARBER TRADE TAUGHT, WAGES while learning, up-to-date instructors. No oldtimer. MOLER BARBER SCHOOL, 429 E. Fifth st.

WANTED—
Help, Male and Female. (Instruction Course.)

WANTED — RAGTIME PIANO PLAYING TAUGHT in 20 lessons. Write for free book. CHRISTENSEN SCHOOL OF POPULAR MUSIC, 22 Walker Bldg. Main 2176; F5793.

WANTED—CLERKS TO JOIN OUR CIVIL SERVICE school. County examinations January 5 and 10. Call at once and see us. 327 MERCHANTS' TRUST BLDG.

WANTED — STUDENTS FOR SPECIAL STENOgraphic instruction; dictation class privileges, $5 monthly. STENOGRAPHERS' TRAINING SCHOOL, 301 Severance Bldg.

WANTED—STENOGRAPHIC STUDENTS. PAY TUItion after graduated. Positions guaranteed. MACKAY BUSINESS COLLEGE, Main st., at Ninth. F3193; Main 4796.

WANTED—YOUNG MEN TO PREPARE FOR RAILWAY MAIL CLERKS, POSTOFFICE CLERKS and CARRIERS. See MR. HOFF, 628-630 Security Bldg.

WANTED—PEOPLE TO BE CORRECTLY TAUGHT motion-picture acting and writing. DIRECTOR, 636 E. 25TH ST. Home 22247.

WANTED — MAKE MONEY WRITING SHORT stories or articles, big pay. Free booklet tells how. UNITED PRESS SYNDICATE, San Francisco.

WANTED—BEAUTY CULTURE PAYS BIG. LEARN right, "FLORENTINE," 227 Mercantile Place, near Broadway. Phones.

WANTED—SALESMEN—
Agents and Solicitors.

WANTED—TWO WELL-DRESSED YOUNG MEN to travel with manager. Men who have had experience as house-to-house canvassers, preferred. Traveling expenses paid. Apply CHICAGO ART ACADEMY, fourth floor, Currier Bldg., 212 W. Third st.

WANTED—A RELIABLE AGENT THAT IS CAPABLE of handling the whole issue of stock of manufacturing concern, that will pay big. Address E, box 239, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—HIGH-CLASS REAL ESTATE SALESwomen for fine new subdivision. Best proposition to right party. Ask for MR. GILBERT, 645 S. Spring st.

WANTED — THIS PROPOSITION SPELLS REAL money and it will be to the financial interest of any young man of prepossessing appearance to look into it. Call between 9 and 10 a.m. 301 BRYSON BLDG.

WANTED—LIVE STOCK SALESMAN, SOMETHING new, great chance for right man. Address E, box 227, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—HIGH-CLASS SUBDIVISION SALESMAN capable of making $500 to $2000 per month preferred. Ask for MR. GILBERT, 645 S. Spring st.

WANTED—
Situations, Male.

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WANTED—EXPERT ACCOUNTANT IS DESIROUS of employment, opening, writing up, balancing or auditing books of account; straightening out tangled or partnership accounts; city or country; charges reasonable; local references. Phone NORTON, Home F5808; or at residence, East 1135.

WANTED—HIGH-GRADE SPECIALTY SALESMAN closely identified with grocery business, wholesale and retail, is open for a proposition. Have covered the United States. References A-1. Address A. J. KUSTER, Hotel Rosslyn.

WANTED—POSITION BY CHAUFFEUR, SWEDISH man, reliable, steady, careful driver familiar with high-grade cars, willing to do other work, good local references. Address Z, box 397, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED—POSITION AS ASSISTANT IN CONDUCT of apartment-house or small hotel, by efficient, bright young man, pleasing manners. Fine references hotel people. A. B., 314 International Bank Bldg. Main 785. F3456.

WANTED—POSITION WHERE TRUSTWORTHINESS and attention to business will lead to good future. Young man experienced in office and mercantile work. Best of references, character and ability. Address G, box 267, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—CHAUFFEUR, HONEST MAN, SEVEN years' experience, first-class mechanic, careful driver, familiar with any car, willing to do other work; low wages; references. Address H, box 188, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—BY STEADY, RELIABLE YOUNG MARried man, position of trust, book-keeper or general office work; experienced; can give bond; references. Address G, box 284, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED — WORK IN ORANGE ORCHARD, BY married man, experienced in orchard, stock and water; no children. Good letters. Address G, box 274, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—POSITION AS CHAUFFEUR WITH GOOD references and good experience, nice good looking, tall man, age 25 years old. Phone WEST 1822; HOME 21356. JIMMY TATSU, 514 W. 16th.

WANTED—POSITION, BY EXPERIENCED JAPAnese young man 23 years old; saloon or garage or apartment porter. 824 GRAND VIEW ST. Home 53211.

WANTED—VEGETABLE GARDENER, 30, SINGLE, experienced, out and indoors, wants work, farm or teaming; references. WM. BOWELL, 529 W. First st.

WANTED — AN EXPERIENCED JAPANESE BOY wants position as waiter in good family, city or country; speaks good English. HENRY TSUDA, 212½ Hill st. Tel. Home A5612.

WANTED — CHAUFFEUR, MARRIED, CAN DRIVE any car, best references; take care lawn; Phone Main 3691, 618-620 S. Grand ave. JOHN G. BAUR, room 308.

WANTED—JOB, HAVE CITY LICENSE TO OPerate stationary locomotive, gas, gasoline; handy at pipe fitting, wiring. Do own repairing. Phone EAST 1606.

WANTED — POSITION, ALL-AROUND BUTCHER, sober, capable, go anywhere. D. G. ENGLISH, Long Beach, Calif. R. F. D. No. 2, Box 104. Home Phone 15532.

WANTED—CAN YOU USE AN A1 BOOK-KEEPER not afraid of hard work, with the best of references, rapid on typewriter, moderate salary? Address Y, box 541, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED—JAPANESE BOY WISHES POSITION AS chauffeur; careful driver; own repair and do any extra work in spare time. JOE, 77685. Please ring up after 6 p.m.

WANTED—POSITION AS CHAUFFEUR WITH A family preferred; best city references as to habits. Address Z, box 541, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED—SITUATION BY A GARDENER AND florist, European and American experience, for a number of years. Address 1023 S. FIGUEROA ST., Los Angeles.

WANTED—POSITION BY A BAKER AND CANDY maker; guarantee to increase your business. Married; will go anywhere. Address Z, box 561, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED—GOOD, RELIABLE PRINTER WANTS position in or near Los Angeles. Address box 124, GLENDALE, Cal.

WANTED—SITUATION BY JAPANESE, FIRST-CLASS cook, hotel, cafe, club, restaurant, long experience. Address G, box 104, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—I AM A YOUNG MAN, 17 YEARS OF age, willing to do most anything. Address G, box 188, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—POSITION AS COMPANION-VALET TO gentleman, by educated young man; highest references. Address G, box 189, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—YOUNG JAPANESE BOY WISHES SITuation as schoolboy; wages no object. M. ITO, 309 Jackson st., city.

WANTED—SITUATION, BY FIRST-CLASS JAPAnese cook in hotel, club or family; has highest reference. 134 ROSE ST. G. ANBE.

WANTED—CHAUFFEUR SEEKS POSITION; EXcellent experience and references; life abstainer; English. BOWMAN, 08 Hurlbut st., Pasadena.

WANTED—CHAUFFEUR WANTS POSITION, PRIVate family preferred, good mechanic, strictly sober and reliable. Phone MAIN 2934. R. A. Hegel.

WANTED—AMERICAN, AGE 40, GOOD WORKER, willing to work around house for room and board. Address G, box 270, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—POSITION AS WATCHMAN OR ANY light work, am sober, industrious, best references. WARD, 430 W. 52nd st.

WANTED—BOY 18 WANTS ANY KIND OF WORK, day or night. Understands machines. PHONE 21434.

WANTED—SCHOOL BOY, POSITION BY A YOUNG Japanese student. K. ISERI, address 251 E. First.

WANTED—SITUATION, A STEAM OR GAS ENgineer. Room 22, 231 S. HILL ST. Phone Main 8607.

WANTED—BOOKS OPENED, CLOSED, AUDITED or kept by month. Reasonable. Call F2795 or MAIN 1069.

WANTED—AMERICAN, MIDDLE-AGED MAN, wishes position on orange ranch. Address G, box 149, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—PLEASE GIVE ME WORK, NEED BADly. Address G, box 264, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—YOUNG MAN, WANTS WORK ANY kind. Address G, box 293, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED — FIRST-CLASS COLORED WAITER wants work. Phone BROADWAY 1704.

WANTED—BUTLER OR VALET WANTS POSITION. Address G, box 279, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—I CAN DO ANYTHING. ADDRESS G, box 278, TIMES OFFICE.

EMPLOYMENT—
Agencies.

WANTED—JAPANESE CENTRAL EMPLOYMENT AGENCY. All kinds of Japanese help promptly furnished. House and window cleaning department. Phones MAIN 2924; 62925. 124½ E. THIRD ST.

WANTED—THE PACIFIC JAPANESE AAA EMPLOYMENT BUREAU, 445 South Olive st., Los Angeles. F1078. Main 1714.

WANTED—
Situations, Female.

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WANTED — FIRST-CLASS COOK WISHES PLACE, general housework, capable and thorough. No laundry. Wages $35. F3114.

WANTED—LADY AND GROWN DAUGHTER FROM the East desire home in Christian Science family in exchange for housework, sewing, mending. Address Z, box 549, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED—POSITION BY COMPETENT WOMAN, good cook, in small family of adults, will keep house for business people. Best wages. Main 3025. 521 W. FIFTH ST.

WANTED — SITUATIONS BY TWO COMPETENT girls, one as cook, other general work, private family, no washing; wages $45 and $40. Phone A5118. 245 S. GRAND.

WANTED — BY FIRST-CLASS STENOGRAPHER, with six years' experience in law office, work for mornings only. Can furnish best of references. Telephone A2796 or MAIN 2401.

WANTED—TELEPHONE OPERATOR, 2 YEARS' experience, wants position on private exchange; references. Address H, box 173, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—CARE OF CHILDREN, PLAIN SEWING for family help with other work in house, city, country, beach, travel. Lone eastern woman. Address G, box 275, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—FIRST-CLASS, EXPERIENCED LAUNDress, wishes work by the day, also cleaning and washing and ironing. Phone HOME 21714; ring mornings and evenings.

WANTED—POSITION WANTED IN A REFINED gentleman's home, who has a family, or as a cook on ranch; good cook. MRS. PIERCE, 429 Towne ave.

WANTED—AM A FIRST-CLASS STENOGRAPHER and book-keeper, good worker, A1 references, salary reasonable. Address Y, box 542, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED—POSITION AS HOTEL HOUSEKEEPER by an experienced woman; good references. Address ROOM 307, 300 E. Washington.

WANTED—SITUATION BY EXPERIENCED GERman girl, housework or cooking, good cook; wages $40 or $45. SOUTH 1738. 22805.

WANTED — COMPETENT COLORED WOMAN wants general house or chamber work, city or country. Phone BROADWAY 3018.

WANTED—COMPETENT GIRL WISHES POSITION as second maid, where other help is kept. References. F2773.

WANTED—COMPETENT COOK WISHES POSITION where second maid is kept; $40 to $45; references. F2773.

WANTED—RELIABLE WOMAN, GOOD COOK, with a boy, wishes position as housekeeper on ranch. Address G, box 282, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—PRACTICAL NURSING, CONFINEMENTS a specialty, good care and references. MRS. MAYBEE, F4183.

WANTED—COLORED WOMAN WOULD LIKE POsition as cook in private family. Phone HOME 21714.

WANTED—MIDDLE-AGED LADY COMPANION, will do some work for room and board, plain cooking. WILSHIRE 1317.

WANTED—SITUATION, NURSE FOR CHILDREN, with 7 years' experience. Write to MISS MILLER, care Y.W.C.A., Marengo st., Pasadena.

WANTED—POSITION AT ONCE, BY COMPETENT stenographer, $8 per week. F3128; MAIN 4798.

WANTED—POSITION IN PHYSICIAN'S OFFICE. References. 22208.

WANTED—COMPETENT YOUNG WOMAN WANTS place at housework, good cook. MAIN 6221.

WANTED—LEGAL STENOGRAPHER AND LAW student desires position. Phone SOUTH 6167.

WANTED—COLORED GIRL WANTS DAY'S WORK. PHONE BROADWAY 437.

WANTED—SWEDISH GIRL WANTS HOUSEWORK, small family; wages $30. PHONE 25885.

WANTED—YOUNG LADY WISHES POSITION AS nurse for one child. F5848. Room 12.

WANTED—
Situations, Male and Female.

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WANTED—POSITION, CHAUFFEUR AND COOK, in private family, young English and German couple of good habits, neat, clean and obliging; wife a first-class cook; man excellent driver, good mechanic any make of car. References. Address H, box 189, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—BY COLORED MAN AND WIFE, SITUAtion in private family, woman to cook and man to work on place, references furnished from last employer. Address 1236 HOBART BLVD. Phone 74168.

WANTED—BY MAN AND WIFE WITH TWO SMALL children. Position as cook and ranchhand. Experience and reference. See or address J. H. SALADIN, care W. B. Ames, San Dimas, Cal., Telephone Home 552.

WANTED—
Work by the Day.

WANTED—FURNITURE, PIANOS, ORNAMENTS REpaired, equal to new; reasonable. FLACHSBINDER, 1811 Stanford ave. Phone Main 6059.

WANTED—WASHING, HOUSE CLEANING, BY DAY, $1.50 and car fare. Phone BOYLE 2890.

WANTED—WORK BY THE DAY OR WEEK, BY reliable white woman. Phone EAST 1601.

WANTED—
Carpentering, Paper-hanging, Tinting, etc.

WANTED—BY AN ALL-AROUND CARPENTER, new or repair work, city or country, speaks English and Scandanavian. O. R., 818½ Gladys ave., City.

WANTED—PAINTING, TINTING, ETC.; LOWEST price for A-1 work. WILSON, A4853, Broadway 1827.

WANTED—CARPENTER WORK. PHONE MAIN 137 or F3110 after 5 a.m. and before 5 p.m. Ask for ROBBINS.

WANTED — ROOF REPAIRING, PAINTING, CHIMney sweeping, furniture repairing. A. H. MONMERT, 1537 W. Pico. Wilshire 711. 52567.

WANTED—FIRST-CLASS PAINTING, TINTING AND paper hanging. Prices reasonable. Main 969. PAUL GOODWIN, 420 W. 8th st. F2865.

WANTED — SIGN PAINTING AT CUT RATES. Phone BROADWAY 2940.

WANTED—
Partners.

WANTED— WANTED— WANTED— ATTENTION CLASSIFIED ADVERTISERS. The regular issue of The Times of January 1, in which the rate for "Liners," as usual, will be only one cent a word, will be sent by many subscribers, in connection with the Midwinter Number, to out-of-town friends, thereby largely increasing the circulation of that particular issue. Take advantage of this opportunity to exploit real estate propositions, business chances, stocks, bonds, automobiles, buggies, live stock, household furniture, furnished rooms, flats, apartments, board, and other business ventures at a minimum cost. TIMES "LINERS" GET RESULTS.

WANTED —A CONSERVATIVE CORPORATION transacting a highly profitable business, having a good lease on Broadway and doing a wholesale and retail business of years standing. Business has grown beyond our capital and having the refusal of a large proposition will require more capital. Can use services of a good business or clerical man or salesman able to invest a few thousand dollars; salaried position commensurate with your ability if you can satisfy us, or will consider capital without services. Address H, box 229, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—TO MEET GENTLEMAN, GOOD REFERence, who is ready to start to work and buy retiring partner's interest, $1500; business grandly established same number successfully past 12 years. Get particulars, 355 S. BROADWAY, room 202.

WANTED — A PARTNER WITH $250 TO TAKE half interest in a remedy that is an absolute cure for all skin diseases; this is something new and has been thoroughly tested; I hold the formula. ROOM 11, Chapman Hotel, 301 E. Fifth st.

WANTED—HAVE A GOOD MONEY-MAKING BUSIness to offer right party who can invest $1000 and services; business paid $6000 this year. Address C, box 205, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—PARTNER, $1560, TO INVEST IN LEgitimate long-established business, either as silent or active partner, protected by long lease; guarantee 25 per cent. on investment, no fixtures, only stock at invoice. No agents. Address Z, box 555, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED—TWO YOUNG MEN WANT MAN WITH six hundred to join them New Year's night; locate mine thirty miles from Los Angeles; chance for big money. 910-11 WRIGHT & CALLENDER BLDG., Fourth and Hill sts.

WANTED—PARTNER WITH $1000 TO EXTEND business of established electrical manufacturing works; young man preferred, experience not necessary; a good opportunity for the right man. Investigate. Address H, box 57, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—REAL ESTATE DEALER WITH ground floor office and large display window on one of the main streets wants partner with automobile. Address Z, box 517, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED—ACTIVE, PRACTICAL MAN FOR EXecutive position in large printing and publishing plant. Must be willing to invest $2000. Address G, box 265, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED — PARTNER IN AN ESTABLISHED BUSIness; profits large, $300 to $700 required; money is secured; single man preferred; must travel. Address H, box 164, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—PARTNER; ONE THAT WILL INVEST $5000 in successful going business that is making good profits and will stand investigation. See FROELICH, 908 Van Nuys Bldg.

WANTED—PARTNER IN A COMPLETE CARnival company; $1000 cash will handle this. Will bear strict investigation. For further information address G, box 214, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—PARTNER IN SHEET METAL FURNACE business. Plenty of work. Sober mechanic. Phone MAIN 2215.

WANTED—
Rooms and Board.

WANTED—MOTHER WITH BABY, YEAR OLD, not walking, room and board, where washing may be done; baby healthy; does not cry nights. Address H, box 12, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—ROOM IN PRIVATE FAMILY, ONE or two meals, young man, 30. Distance no object; references. Address Z, box 554, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED—FURNISHED ROOM OR ROOMS WITH back yard, for rabbits, all particulars of price, etc., in first letter. Address G, box 285, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—A PORCH BEDROOM WITH OR WITHout board, with private family, in south or west section, by young man. Address G, box 291, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—BOARD AND ROOM BY YOUNG MAN IN exchange for services before and after school hours. PHONE 66510.

WANTED—
Rooms.

WANTED—SINGLE, UNFURNISHED ROOM WITH housekeeping privileges. Address G, box 280, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—
Houses.

WANTED — HOLLYWOOD, ABOUT 5 MODERN rooms, rent with option of purchase; cash deal. Write fully. MR. MEARS, Hamden Arms, Hotel.

WANTED—
To Rent.

WANTED—THREE-ROOM APARTMENT AND BATH, steam heated, two wall beds; must be close in. Rent $25 to $30. Address Z, box 512, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED—
To Purchase, Real Estate.

WANTED—LOS ANGELES APARTMENT BUILDing. Wanted, to purchase a 40 or more room furnished apartment building, including lot in vicinity of from W. 9th st. to W. Washington, as part payment will give a SEMI-BUSINESS lot on Grand ave., Portland, Oregon, clear of incumbrance, price $18,000; also a strictly modern residence on corner, equity $3500; 7-room residence in Salem, Oregon, clear, $4500, and will assume some mortgage. The above prices are right and the property is first-class. W. H. LANG, 315 Abington Bldg., Portland, Oregon.

WANTED — TO PURCHASE, A WELL-LOCATED new or nearly new flat building up to $12,000, will give 5-acre young lemon grove in the Whittier district with plenty of water. Valued at $5500, clear, balance cash. HILDESHEIM & SCHILLER. F6426 625 Van Nuys Bldg. Main 5025.

WANTED — TO PURCHASE, MODERN 8 to 10-room residence, Wilshire or West Adams Heights district, up to $14,000. Will pay for same with good 8-room residence on W. 11th street, unrestricted lot, actually worth $11,000, balance cash. HILDESHEIM & SCHILLER. F6425 625 Van Nuys Bldg. Main 5025.

WANTED—TO BUY FROM OWNER, 1 TO 3 ACRES good foothill land, improved with fruit and small house; prefer Sierra Madre, Altadena, La Canada or Glendale; must be high altitude, and a bargain; this is not an ad. for listing property; we have the money if your property suits. Mail list with full particulars. L. W. LEIGHTON, 835 Security Bldg. Main 1652. F4246.

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WANTED—ONE OR TWO LOTS IN WEST OR northwest section, small cash payment down and give second mortgage for balance, in monthly payments; want to put building loan on. BROADWAY 5411.

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WANTED — TOP PRICES PAID FOR GENTLEmen's, ladies' used clothing, by COHEN, Pacific Coast largest dealers. We call. F2880, Main 4024. 808 S. Spring. 111 E. 7th.

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WANTED—THE CUT-RATE FURNITURE MOVING Company will move all your furniture and piano by contract for $6 or $8. Phone day or night. BOYLE 3065. HOME 41459.

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TO LET—GO TO CLAYMORE ARMS, 434 CENTENNIAL ST., for nicest rooms in city, $2.50 up; Temple, Hollywood car to Centennial. Main 6900. 61948.

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TO LET—SUNNY ROOMS FOR ONE OR TWO [illegible] 1309 WEST 8TH ST. 55123.

TO LET—
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TO LET—2 UNFURNISHED ROOMS AND BATH, $20. 982 SERRANO AVE. W. 11th st. car.

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TO LET—ONE LEFT; ELEGANT, NEW, [illegible] room, east-front; half block north WESTLAKE PARK, four car lines, ten minutes to [illegible] two porches, hardwood and woodstone [illegible] paneled hall and dining-room, enameled bath [illegible] bedrooms, wall beds, bookcase, mirrors, [illegible] mantel, laundry tub, latest [illegible] heating. ALSO five and seven-room [illegible] same plan and finish, between WESTLAKE and SUNSET PARKS. Adults. References. [illegible] 51508.

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TO LET—FLATS, WELL APPOINTED, [illegible] finished, 4 rooms, bath, screen porch, [illegible] porch, storeroom, high ground, [illegible] air direct from mountains; good neighborhood [illegible] minutes from Sixth and Broadway [illegible] car line. Apply W. L. WATTS, [illegible] line, corner Kent. Wilshire 3501.

TO LET—$26; BRAND NEW 4-ROOM [illegible] flats, 3785 Vermont ave. Phone [illegible] Also flats on Hilton, 220 S. Burlington [illegible] beds. EVERY BUILT-IN EFFECT. [illegible] front rooms, quartered oak, rear [illegible] doors; basement garage. C. H. KEDLEY [illegible]

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TO LET—NEW FLATS, JUST COMPLETED [illegible] rooms each, all modern conveniences [illegible] per flat; location 21st and Hooper sts. A4177, Main 2560. J. W. HACKWORTH, [illegible] Oil Bldg.

TO LET—ENTIRE UPPER COTTAGE FLAT, [illegible] rooms and sleeping porch, modern, built-in [illegible] sun in every room; adults. 1824 S. [illegible] DRIVE, near Washington st. Phone [illegible]

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TO LET—BEAUTIFUL NEW FLAT, [illegible] pearing beds, all built-in features. [illegible] 43RD ST., near Manual Arts School [illegible] ave. cars. F4468; Main 1799.

TO LET—INDIANA COURT, MODERN [illegible] $10.50, water paid; 3 rooms, [illegible] service, pure air and artesian water. [illegible] INDIANA ST.

TO LET—ATTRACTIVE FOUR-ROOM FLAT, [illegible] pleasant rooms, extra large closets, [illegible] in effects. Backus heater, range, store room [illegible] or Moneta car to 29th st. 2910 S. [illegible]

TO LET—NICE NEW FOUR-ROOM UPPER [illegible] disappearing bed, hardwood floors, [illegible] kitchen and bath; $18; water paid. [illegible] ST. South 30.

TO LET—JUST COMPLETED, BEAUTIFUL [illegible] 4-room flats, hardwood floors, [illegible] Holmes bed, linoleum, bath and [illegible] rent $25, adults. Key 1357 BOND ST. [illegible] 10th car.

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TO LET—NEW FOUR-ROOM FLAT, [illegible] floors, cabinet kitchen and stationary [illegible] W. Adams car to Normandie. Owner, [illegible] 24TH ST.

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TO LET—HANDSOME 4-ROOM BRICK, [illegible] appearing beds; garage. 1370 W. 29TH [illegible] 22652.

TO LET—1 CHOICE 5-ROOM FLAT IN [illegible] Italian villa. HOLLYWOOD BLVD. [illegible] GAN PLACE.

TO LET—ONE NEW LOWER FLAT, [illegible] rooms, plenty of light, range, [illegible] 1444 WEST 39TH PLACE. [illegible]

TO LET—AT 1507 INGRAHAM ST., [illegible] ern bungalow flat, private entrance, [illegible] lawn, walking distance. Rent $30.

TO LET—NEW DESIRABLE CLOSE IN [illegible] flat, all modern conveniences, [illegible] Figueroa, adults. 1426 WRIGHT ST.

TO LET—ELEGANT COTTAGE FLAT, [illegible] James Park, 6 large rooms and sleeping [illegible] furnace, garage if desired. 1008 W. [illegible]

TO LET—UNFURNISHED FLAT, [illegible] and Central, $17.50. Owner, 812 E. [illegible] AVE. Phone South 2171.

TO LET — NEW 4-ROOM FLAT, ALL [illegible] conveniences and garage. 126 E. 47TH ST. [illegible] 7039.

TO LET—A THREE-ROOM FLAT, NEVER OCcupied, strictly modern. 3233 PASADENA [illegible] 39127.

TO LET — MODERN SIX-ROOM UPPER [illegible] close in; $30; water paid. 1314½ [illegible] South 39.

TO LET—BRIGHT, SUNNY FIVE AND [illegible] modern flats, very desirable, walking [illegible] 1420 W. TENTH.

TO LET—VERY CHEAP FLATS, FOUR [illegible] ful large rooms, all modern conveniences [illegible] S. GRAND.

TO LET—WILSHIRE DISTRICT, $22.50, [illegible] per 4-room flat, corner San Marino and [illegible] 11th st. car. BROADWAY 4948.

TO LET — NEW, STRICTLY MODERN [illegible] flat. Adults only. 1651½ WINFIELD [illegible] 55452. Take W. 11th car.

TO LET—6-ROOM SUNNY FLAT, RENT [illegible] able; owner same building. [illegible] Adults.

TO LET—NEW, SUNNY, 5-ROOM FLAT, [illegible] pearing beds; dressing-room, hot water [illegible] rent $27. 108 W. SANTA BARBARA AVE.

TO LET—SUNNY 5-ROOM FLAT, [illegible] month. 982 SERRANO AVE. [illegible] car.

TO LET—MODERN FOUR-ROOM FLAT, [illegible] 12TH ST. Phone Broadway 6275.

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TO LET—2 FURNISHED ROOMS FOR LIGHT housekeeping, in private home, new, clean and sunny, suitable for 1 or 2 ladies. 1050 W. [illegible] PLACE.

TO LET—[illegible] IN WESTLAKE DISTRICT, UNFURnished flat of 4 rooms and bath, newly decorated, hot water at all hours, disappearing bed, garage and nice yard. PHONE 51945. 1049 S. [illegible] Brae.

TO LET—NEW UPPER 4-ROOM SUNNY FLAT, 2 [illegible] hardwood floors, excellent location. 1115½ WESTLAKE AVE.

TO LET—NEW UPPER 4-ROOM SUNNY FLAT, all built-in features, 2 beds, hardwood floors, [illegible] location. 1115½ WESTLAKE AVE.

TO LET—DESIRABLE 6-ROOM FLAT, 2 BLOCKS [illegible] of Main st., adults. 1326 SANTEE ST.

TO LET—$22; SUNNY, 3-ROOM FLAT, TWO WALL beds. Walking distance. 403½ LUCAS.

TO LET— Furnished Flats.

TO LET—NEW, BETWEEN WESTLAKE AND SUNSET PARKS, ten minutes from Broadway, east front bow-window room, 14x20; also 14x17 [illegible] and dressing-room, hall, four closets, kitchen, [illegible] mantel, white enamel and mahogany finish; [illegible] floors woodstone or hardwood; upholstered window seats, private front porch, built-in beds, mirrors, [illegible] mahogany furniture, piano, fine paintings and draperies; completely and elegantly furnished. References. Adults. PHONE 51544.

TO LET—OR SELL— FLATS, BUNGALOWS, APARTMENTS. Specialty with these. List now. M. A. E. WADDELL, 431 S. Grand ave. 10469.

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TO LET—NEW, MODERN FLAT, NEW FURNISHINGS, two oscillating beds. Everything first-class. Must be seen to be appreciated. 1011 W. [illegible] ST. West 2461; 77177.

TO LET—IN THE WESTLAKE DISTRICT, 1020 S. BONNIE BRAE, attractively furnished bungalow flat, very pretty and new; furnace heat; garage.

TO LET—5-ROOM FURNISHED FLAT, ALL BUILT-IN beds and effects; private bath. Call SOUTH [illegible]

TO LET—AN UP-TO-DATE FURNISHED 3-ROOM flat, gas, electric light, clean and airy, near in, [illegible] for two. 323 S. HOPE ST.

TO LET—SWELL 4-ROOM FLAT, WITH SLEEPING porch, completely furnished, close in, $23. PHONE 52691.

TO LET—ELEGANT NEW FLAT, 3 ROOMS AND bath, new furniture, $26, water paid, near 27th and Grand. 29277. SOUTH 869.

TO LET — FURNISHED 3-ROOM FLAT, WITH [illegible] and telephone, $18 per month. 140 W. [illegible] PLACE.

TO LET—5-ROOM AND BATH, ELEGANTLY FURnished flats, all modern conveniences, handy to [illegible] car lines, $20 per month; must be seen to be appreciated. PHONE 71159.

TO LET—$25, 3 ROOMS AND BATH, FURNISHED for 4 or 5 people, phone and water paid. 120 [illegible] North Broadway car.

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TO LET—FURNISHED, PLEASANT THREE-ROOM [illegible] upper flat, bath and porches, cheap rent; walking distance. 332 E. 15TH ST.

TO LET — ATTRACTIVE, NICELY FURNISHED [illegible] 4-room lower flat, private entrance, desirable [illegible] adults. SOUTH 5488.

TO LET—NEW 3-ROOM LOWER FLAT, 2 BEDS, [illegible] porch, fireplace, all built-in features. [illegible] W. FIRST ST.

TO LET—WESTLAKE, HANDSOMELY FURNISHED [illegible] $25; cemented garage, $5. Adults. 840 [illegible] W. Ninth car.

TO LET—NEW, MODERN, 4-ROOM FLAT, built-in features, completely furnished. Adults. [illegible] W. 22ND ST. Phone South 2214.

TO LET—FURNISHED UPPER 4 OR 5-ROOM flat, [illegible] all around, clean and new. [illegible] S. FLOWER, corner Venice ave.

TO LET—BRAND NEW UPPER FLAT. 946½ E. [illegible]

TO LET— Apartments Furnished.

TO LET— THE LAURELHURST. 2756 W. NINTH ST. [illegible] individually furnished as one would [illegible] own home, separate bedrooms and dressing-rooms, private porches; service is of the very best. [illegible] garage for motor owners. Phone Wilshire 2300.

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TO LET — CUMBERLAND HOTEL AND APARTMENTS. Best location in the city, on the hill at [illegible] Angel's Flight. Modern, clean and quiet; [illegible] rooms with and without private bath; [illegible] and four-room apartments; rates very [illegible] 338 S. OLIVE ST. Home 10849; Main 17.

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TO LET—BARETTE APARTMENTS. 1239 WEST FIFTH ST. [illegible] 1-2 and 3-room apartments; elegantly furnished, automatic elevator, phones, [illegible] dressing-rooms, excellent [illegible] walking distance; rates to permanents.

TO LET—YOUNG APARTMENTS. Grand ave. at 17th st. Fireproof Construction. Finished and conducted in a manner to appeal [illegible] refinement; elevator, lobby, billiard [illegible] room.

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TO LET—$18, 5-ROOM MODERN HOUSE, HIGH ground, near school, or will sell for $2800; terms $20 cash, $20 a month. $15—Four-room modern cottage, or will sell for $2500; terms, $20 cash or $20 a month. ALLISON BARLOW, Owner, No. 210 W. Seventh st., room 220. Phones: Main 409, A5091.

TO LET—HANDSOME 7-ROOM CORNER BUNGAlow, all hardwood floors, built-in dressers, with beveled plate mirrors; cabinet kitchen; in fact, every convenience. 658 N. NEW HAMPSHIRE. Take Heliotrope drive car, get off at Melrose, go two blocks east. Broadway 5411.

TO LET— 448 LAKE ST. Unfurnished. 12 rooms. $45 per month. BROWN BROS. CO., Main 986. A5861.

TO LET—TWO 7-ROOM BUNGALOWS, 409 AND 417 N. Park View, one block north of Westlake Park, choicest residence district, every modern improvement, garage. Call or phone A4154. WILL E. CHAPIN, room 630, 430 S. Broadway, after 1:30 p.m.

TO LET — EXCEPTIONALLY FINE AND NEARLY new residence of ten rooms, thoroughly modern in every detail; four bedrooms, furnace, garage, large yard; partly furnished if desired. Seventy-five dollars to a good, reliable tenant. Telephone the owner, H. L. PAYNE, 1147 W. 37th st.

TO LET—WILSHIRE DISTRICT, 10-ROOM MODERN bungalow, 7 rooms on first floor, garage. Ideal location. Take 11th st. car, Second and Broadway, stop at Wilton place, go two blocks north to Ninth st., second house; east front. Price $50. Phone 50046. Courtesy to agents. J. J. GIBSON.

TO LET—5-ROOM AND BATH UNFURNISHED BUNgalow, overlooking mountains, 20 minutes from Broadway, Temple st. car, $15 and water per month. 622 MALTMAN AVE., corner Bellevue ave. Key at 623 Maltman ave.

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TO LET—BUNGALOW, THREE ROOMS, BATH, built-in beds, 1966 Vermont ave. Also three-room flat, 1970 Vermont ave. Keys for both 1575 W. 20TH ST. Phone 24238 Home.

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TO LET—MODERN 5-ROOM COTTAGE, SOUTHwest, opposite Shrine Auditorium; large chicken yard and barn; plenty flowers, nice lawn. PHONE 21651.

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TO LET—½ OF DOUBLE COTTAGE, NEW AND up-to-date, disappearing bed, strictly private, near corner Vernon and Vermont. Phone owner, SOUTH 3023.

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TO LET—9-ROOM MODERN HOUSE AT 536 W. 37TH ST., $32.50 per month. Phone Vermont 611.

TO LET—NEW, MODERN 5-ROOM BUNGALOW, 1608 W. JEFFERSON ST. Rent $22.50. Phone West 2631.

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TO LET—NEW, UP-TO-DATE BUNGALOW APARTments, 4 rooms, kitchen and bath. 1730 N. BRONSON ST., Hollywood. 599327.

TO LET—$17; BRAND NEW 5-ROOM MODERN bungalow. Inquire 4608 CENTRAL AVE. South 2208.

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TO LET—COSY 5-ROOM COTTAGE, LARGE YARD, front and back, $20. 2506 W. NINTH ST. 51324.

TO LET—3-ROOM HOUSE, $8 MONTH, WATER paid. 802 EAGLE ROCK AVE.

TO LET—5-ROOM MODERN BUNGALOW, UNFURnished, $35. 435 W. 37TH PLACE.

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TO LET—ATTRACTIVELY FURNISHED, 6-ROOM, modern house, everything complete, bath, laundry, etc. Situated one block north of Hollywood Hotel, Hollywood. PHONE MAIN 1312.

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TO LET—FURNISHED, 6-ROOM BUNGALOW, 3 bedrooms, piano and garage, between West Adams and West Jefferson car lines. F. E. BUNDY, 2926 Hobart Blvd.

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TO LET—COSY BUNGALOW, BATH, GAS AND electricity, $16 to adults. W. Jefferson car to Western, south to 1674 W. 36TH ST. 71201.

TO LET—FURNISHED, 5-ROOM HOUSE, BATH, gas, instantaneous heater, high sunny, Angeleno Heights car. 1416 RIDGEWAY. Broadway 4824.

TO LET—COMPLETELY FURNISHED MODERN 6-room bungalow, high elevation, close in. PHONE 55090.

TO LET—THREE-ROOM, MODERN BUNGALOW, nicely furnished, disappearing beds. Call at 157 W. 28TH ST.

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FOR SALE— LOTS, $725—TERMS $10 CASH AND $10 MONTH, including interest. Permission will be given to build small house on rear of lot. This is in a fine neighborhood and well built up, with fine homes. Curbing, sidewalks, gas, water, electricity, telephone, stores and school. Handy, 5-cent fare to this lot, close-in. See Mr. Davis or phone. 609 South Hill st. Main 8172 or 60409.

FOR SALE—HOLLYWOOD SNAP, 100x165. Across the street from Arthur Letts, 2-room house, fruit trees, street work and all. No restrictions. Price $2500, $1250 cash will handle. No trade. Also 150x200, all improvements. West bld. No agents. Apply to MR. BRACKETT, with EDW. E. SWEET, Designing and Building Co., 401 Black Bldg.

FOR SALE—50-FOOT LOTS, CLOSE IN, ON WEST Side, without building restrictions, $650 and $750, only $25 cash and $10 per month. Only a few left. Buy now if you want a bargain. BEALY-JANSS CO., 320 Pacific Electric Bldg., Sixth and Main. Third floor. Main 1371. Home 10026.

FOR SALE— Do you want a lot? I will give you a lot with no strings to it, if you will build a home at once costing not less than $900. Fine location, on car line. See LONGLEY or BANKS, 330 S. Hill st.

FOR SALE—VERMONT LOT, 40x145 TO ALLEY. Client must produce money by January 1. 3 blocks from Normal School. No reasonable offer refused. See me at once. Call at Vermont and Santa Monica Blvd. HOLLYWOOD TOR.

FOR SALE — SACRIFICE; NORTHEAST CORNER 20th and Magnolia, 92x135, unrestricted, $10,000. H. ROBUN, 4315 Berniee ave. East 3136.

FOR SALE— Acreage for Subdivision.

FOR SALE—TRACTS FROM ONE ACRE UP TO 100 acres in size, in the path of the city's rapid growth, Los Angeles to Venice. We are headquarters for this district. Phone for copy of free map. HARRY H. CULVER CO., Second floor Hollingsworth Bldg. 60632 or Main 8045.

FOR SALE— Business Property.

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Here are some business properties for sale which are growing in value fast:

60x120, on west side S. Main st., between Ninth and Tenth sts.

100x125, northwest corner Pico and Union sts.

50x125, 1527 W. Pico st.

50x125, W. 12th st., third lot west of Union.

42x165, 16th st., between Oxford and Western.

51x162, south side W. Washington st., between Hobart and Oxford sts.

3-story block at 641-643 N. Main st.

SEE OWNER. C. A. RAMMEL, 640 N. Main st. Phone Main 3726; A2080.

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FOR SALE— WEST ADAMS CORNER. 135 ft. corner on Adams, near Vermont, unrestricted for flat or apartment, at only $80 per front foot. $11,000. Terms, $6000 cash, balance 6 per cent. Remember, Adams is 80 feet wide, paved and a through street to the beach. This price is easy $3000 below value. Investigate Adams st. See me. R. T. DOW, 2409 South Hoover st. West 1810. 24163.

FOR SALE—BIG BUSINESS LOT, 51x134, AT THE southeast corner of Figueroa and 60th sts.; across street from public school and in heavily settled district; fine investment property for confectionery, grocery and butcher business, with flats or apartments above; price reduced to $3500. MATTHEWS & MATTHEWS, 329 Douglas Bldg.

FOR SALE—HAVE SOME SNAPS IN CLOSE-IN business and apartment property. Also San Gabriel Valley ranches and first mortgages. Address R. S. VANDERHOOF, 2606 Ellendale Place.

FOR SALE—WEST SIDE OF LOS ANGELES ST., between 10th and 11th sts., 60x150, $120 per front foot. Phone 21067, East 81. F. C. GANAHL.

FOR SALE—S. W. CORNER 4TH AND CROCKER, 55x100 to alley, $800 per foot. Phone 21067; East 81. F. C. GANAHL.

FOR SALE— Income Property.

FOR SALE—SOUTHWEST APARTMENTS, BRAND-new, 24 rooms, on corner lot, 51x134, on Hoover st., rented for $150 per month, or 12 per cent. on investment; price $15,000; take lot; house would take some trade. MATTHEWS & MATTHEWS, 329 Douglas Bldg.

FOR SALE—RARE CHANCE, INCOME PROPERTY, builder will give free 2-3 interest for use of $5000 to pay off incumbrance or can use clear property as security. Money or security to be returned in either case. Answer today. W. S. HOLWAY, 304 Wilcox Bldg.

FOR SALE—12 BRAND NEW FLATS AND BUNGAlows, $30,000; rent $4920; unfurnished; might separate; no trade. C. H. KEGLEY, owner, 639 Westlake.

FOR SALE— Real Estate Miscellaneous.

FOR SALE—A BIG CORNER ACRE, COMFORTAble California house, chicken and rabbit houses, 100 bearing fruit trees; excellent soil, cheap water, 32 minutes from Broadway, $850 cash, balance $10 per month. Phone 28180, write or Call 187 W. 53RD PLACE, Los Angeles.

FOR SALE— Suburban Property.

FOR SALE— NEW TOWN OF VAN NUYS. Center of the famous San Fernando Valley. VAN NUYS-LANKERSHIM 47,000 ACRES.

For a ranch (large or small.)
For an ideal home site.
For a safe and profitable investment.
For a business location.
For profitable poultry raising.

SEE AND BE CONVINCED THERE IS NO BETTER ANYWHERE.

FREE EXCURSION FROM HEADQUARTERS, 319 SOUTH HILL STREET. COME IN AND INQUIRE ABOUT THEM.

W. P. WHITSETT, 319 South Hill street. Broadway 2525. F5068.

FOR SALE— One acre, 7-room house, well improved, Inglewood, $2000. Two acres fruit in town of Lankershim, two blocks from car, $1500. Five acres, Lankershim, fine soil. Irrigation and domestic water, $1750. 10 acres, Lankershim, extra good water, only $350 per acre. 80 or 160 acres, Tulare county, near railroad; alfalfa land, water 18 ft., $50 per acre. PATTON & LONGLEY CO., 330 S. Hill st.

FOR SALE—OR EXCHANGE—BY OWNER— A suburban home of eight rooms, four corner lots, 145½x204 each, all corners, two on car line and boulevard. I will sell separate and sell cheap for cash, or will exchange for city property. J. C. FLOYD, 215 Mason Operahouse.

FOR SALE — 10 ACRES, ONE-FOURTH MILE southwest of Newmark, half-way to Whittier; $700 per acre. Piped. Adjoining land [illegible] $1000. Must sell half cash. PHONE F3473.

FOR SALE — TEN ACRES, ONE-FOURTH MILE southwest of Newmark, half way to Whittier; $900 per acre. Lands adjoining are $1000. Must sell, half cash. PHONE F3473.

Altadena.

FOR SALE—IF YOU WANT TO BUY OR TRADE for Altadena property, write or come and see me, as it is my SPECIALTY. N. JAY GREEN, N. Lake ave. Altadena.

HOLLYWOOD

FOR SALE—NEW HOLLYWOOD STEAM-HEATED SIX-ROOM BUNGALOW AND LOT, 55x150, $3975. Only $875 down, balance $35 monthly, including interest; lot fenced. It's one of those "just a little different" sweet bungalows, built in that unmistakable "sweet" style. You'll like it. Every known feature combining art with convenience. On Fernwood, near Western ave. Close to car. Do not suffer this winter with cold. Keep warm. This genuine steam-heated home is the best cold-resisting bungalow bargain ever offered to you. Go with me today and see it. No disappointment. Guaranteed strictly as advertised. EDWARD E. SWEET, designer and builder, 401 Black Bldg. A1175. Broadway 1612.

FOR SALE—OR EXCHANGE AT A BARGAIN, HOLlywood. Beautiful villa site, location most desirable, 400 feet fronting on paved street, unusually deep lot. Property shown upon request. Courtesy shown to agents. Sale price $15,000, subject to $8000, due in 1917. This property has been appraised at $20,000. MR. HOOD, 400 Wilcox Bldg.

FOR SALE—BEAUTIFUL 6-ROOM BUNGALOW, garage, 1519 Poinsettia Place, between Sunset and Hollywood Blvd. Dandy location. Lawn trees and roses. $5500, moderate terms. MABEL G. LANE, 6004 Franklin ave. Phone 57287.

Classified Liners.

FOR SALE—
Beach Property.

FOR SALE — $200 EQUITY IN CORNER LOT, Huntington Beach, 27x125, or exchange for good terms, worth the money. W. S. TERRY, Mojave, Cal.

FOR SALE—BARGAIN: TWO LOTS TOGETHER, half block from ocean, Seal Beach; easy terms. Discount for cash. Also one just north of electric. PG, box 388, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

Santa Monica.

TO LET—FREMONT APTS., 33 FREMONT AVE., Santa Monica, 2 and 3-room apartments, strictly modern, new, reasonable rent, near ocean.

Long Beach.

FOR EXCHANGE — 16-ROOM FLAT, FOUR 4-room suites, nicely furnished, good income; alley corner, $16,500; mortgage $6500, 3 years, 7 per cent. Want Los Angeles to $16,000; might assume. OWNER, 1935 MICHIGAN AVE.

Redondo Beach.

FOR SALE—NINE REDONDO VILLA LOTS, VERY cheap. PHONE F3473.

FOR SALE—
Country Property.

FOR SALE—

NORTH WHITTIER HEIGHTS.

ORANGE, LEMON, AVOCADO AND WALNUT LANDS ARE BEST, THEREFORE THE CHEAPEST.

In the purchase of land for orange or lemon culture one should investigate conditions thoroughly to avoid the possibility of future disappointment. Soil, water conditions and relative elevations all are important. Unplanted proven citrus land is becoming scarcer and more valuable each day. By "proven citrus land" we mean land in districts were the crop and the young trees are practically immune from serious injury by frost or freeze.

Successful orange and lemon growers of California are investing in our North Whittier Heights property, which indicates that we undoubtedly have the soil, water and climatic conditions necessary for growing "citrus groves that pay," and that the prices at which the property is being sold are right. North Whittier Heights is being sold in planted and unplanted tracts of 5 acres and up and on easy terms if desired.

Come in and let us take you out by auto to see this choice property. Call, phone or write for descriptive folder and map of Southern California.

EDWIN G. HART,
Manager and General Sales Agent,
Suite 917-923 Union Oil Bldg.,
7th and Spring sts., Los Angeles.
Phones—10421, Main 2008.

FOR SALE—

SAN FERNANDO ACRES.

10 TO 40-ACRE TRACTS.

$300 TO $500 PER ACRE.

With irrigation water. Land cleared of brush. On San Fernando Blvd., half way between Burbank and San Fernando. 14 miles from Los Angeles. Easy terms. Will accept Los Angeles equities or clear property and a little cash as part payment. Balance six years.

W. P. REYNOLDS,
Managing Agent,
129 S. Broadway.
Ground Floor Mason Operahouse.

FOR SALE—

ANTELOPE VALLEY LANDS

We offer for sale lands in the Antelope Valley, near Lancaster. The valley that offers the greatest opportunity to the man with moderate means—where climate is unexcelled and where water conditions have been proved—land that is rich and will produce alfalfa; finest grown in the State, all kinds of deciduous fruits and vegetables of remarkably fine quality. This land was selected by soil expert and we can furnish report for each piece. Such land we offer in parcels of 80—125—160—320—640 acres from $25 to $65 per acre, on long time payments. We have one-quarter section with water already developed—good flowing well—535 feet deep—8-inch casing, for $65 per acre. Buy now while land is cheap, for it is sure to treble within the next few years.

Don't delay—act at once, and arrange trip to see for yourself.

See or phone—FRANK W. REYNOLDS,
With GOLDEN STATE REALTY CO.,
217-219 Union Oil Bldg.
Cor. 7th and Spring Sts.
A3411. —Phones— Main 434.

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BELL FLOWER ACRES.

Splendid little poultry ranch, two-room house; one acre rich, warm loamy soil; the very best kind for poultry, fruits, berries and vegetables; cold artesian water piped to each acre in steel pipes, practically free; brand-new boulevard; good town, stores, churches, school, lumber yard, hardware, newspaper, gas and sidewalk; price $650; $50 cash, and $10 per month; like rent. See me early, if you like this. It will soon be sold. MR. WOODRUFF, owner, 212 Grant Bldg., corner Fourth and Broadway.

FOR SALE—
A little farm near the front door of the city.

Five acres, with running stream, on paved boulevard, not far from electric line; level, rich soil, free from alkali, only 4½ miles from city. This is exceptional and cannot be duplicated. Communicate with me at once and will take you to see it. G. S. REYNOLDS, 611-613 South Hill street. Phones: Home 10345; Broadway 2468.

FOR SALE—

ON EASY TERMS FOR $3000.

10 acres sandy loam soil, unlimited in depth and fertility; level with gentle slope to the south and west, abundance of pure water for domestic and irrigation purposes. Close to railroad station and boulevard. You can grow anything on this land that grows in California. Near to and overlooking beautiful Lake Elsinore, with an area of 5000 acres, together with magnificent mountain scenery. The buyer of this splendid land today will be the independent man tomorrow. See me today. G. H. McGINNISS, 320 Pacific Electric Bldg. 10020. Main 1371.

FOR SALE—

Five acres at $300 an acre, 8½ miles from city limits, on one of the finest and cheapest water systems in Southern California. Good soil for deciduous fruits, walnuts and vegetables. Ideal chicken ranch, only a short distance from electric car and electric-lighted boulevard. Call me up and make arrangements to see this property. I will take you out in my machine. G. W. JONES, 611 South Hill st. Phones: Home 10345; Broadway 2468.

FOR SALE—
144-acre ranch, 25 miles from Los Angeles, "One hour by auto." 3-4 mile from town, on S.P.R.R., on completed county road; 60 acres level, sandy loam, set to trees and alfalfa; plenty of running water, beautiful oaks and other timber; all fenced, large barn, house and other buildings; this is a very low price at $12,000, on easy terms, it is clear and we might accept a small amount of clear city property in exchange. See MR. DROMGOLD, of Cal. Inv. Co. of L. A. 1017 Van Nuys Bldg. L. A.

FOR SALE—

I can show conclusively an opportunity for the man with small capital to make good. Five acres close to Los Angeles, steam and electric lines, fertile soil. Right in the heart of finest orchard district, near fruit cannery. See MR. MacWILLIAMS, 611 S. Hill st. Phone 10345.

FOR SALE—
LARGE RANCHES.
We have farms from 1000 to 30,000 acres, priced from $12.50 to $45 per acre. Send for our list.
SHANNON REALTY CO.,
1000 K st.,
Sacramento,
Cal.

FOR SALE—
WANTED—THE ADDRESS OF EARNEST MEN and women who can be interested in small farm homes, 10, 20 and 40 acre tracts, where proposition is right to acquire your own farm home under most favorable conditions, never a better time or opportunity. Address F. L. SHAW, 1116 Mission st., South Pasadena, Cal.

FOR SALE—RARE CHANCE TO OWN A FINE farm. Rich soil. Great abundance of already developed water. Land all ready for cultivation. Very small payment down, long time on balance. Crops will easily pay for land. If you wish to be independent and own a No. 1 farm call and see us. R. C. FOSTER CO., 916 Higgins Bldg., corner Second and Main. F2682.

FOR SALE—OR EXCHANGE—
Two alfalfa ranches one 20 and one 80 acres; near Garden Grove; houses, barns and private irrigating plants.
C. B. BERGER & CO.,
304-5 Lankershim Bldg. Phone F6277.

FOR SALE—IMPERIAL.
10 YEARS' TIME.
$150 PER ACRE.
One-tenth down, or will lease to responsible tenant.
418 LAUGHLIN BLDG. [illegible] BDWY. 4175.

FOR SALE—
Country Property.

FOR SALE—

RICHFIELD ACRES.

Located 2½ miles from

PLACENTIA.

On main line of Santa Fe, right at station; subdivided into 5, 10 and 20-acre tracts, plenty of water piped to the high point for irrigation and domestic purposes. Excellent climatic conditions. Orange and lemon trees that have never been frosted all around this property. The soil runs from a loam to pure river silt. In fact, no better soil anywhere. Prices $350 per acre to $550, including water. We can arrange terms to suit almost any one. Will appeal to the man with a small amount of money who wants a home, or to the man who is looking for an investment. Call, phone or write.

Edwin MacGinnis,
Sales Manager for
STERN REALTY COMPANY,
404 P. E. Bldg.
Home F3735. Sunset Main 5704.

FOR SALE—OR EXCHANGE—2 ACRES, FULLY equipped for a chicken ranch, 3-room house, gas and water, garage, barns, small orchard, berry vines and fruit trees. Inquire from OWNER, 2061 W. 35TH PLACE.

FOR SALE—80 ACRES FIRST-CLASS ALFALFA land, in one of the finest dairy sections; one mile from town of 600 population; two creameries; land now in barley, easy terms. F. C. HYDE, Tulare, Cal.

FOR SALE—$700 BUYS RELINQUISHMENT 40 acres Carey Act land, Utah. House and well. Water right paid to 1915. For interview with owner address G, box 94, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR SALE—CHEAPEST ALFALFA AND FRUIT land in Southern California, $20 to $35 per acre; easy terms; write owner, U. S. OLES, 511 Lissner Bldg., Los Angeles, Cal.

FOR SALE—$300 PER ACRE, 40 ACRES ALFALFA, fronting State highway, less than half mile from townsite. Owner, C. B. BICKELSON, McFarland, Kern county, Cal.

Antelope Valley.

FOR SALE—
ALFALFA LANDS.
Only 70 miles from Los Angeles on S. P. R. R. 40 to 640-acre tracts; $10 to $45 per acre; ten years' time, one-tenth cash. Ask for pamphlet and mention this paper.
SOUTHERN PACIFIC LAND AGENCY,
410 Grosse Bldg., Los Angeles.

FOR SALE—ALFALFA LAND—
Fine soil, main line S. P.; station on land; water guaranteed not over 20 ft. lift. First-class in every way. 20 acres up. Terms, one-fourth cash, balance time. STANDLEY & CHESTER, 512-14 American Bank Bldg., Second and Spring sts. Main 2010. F7908.

FOR SALE — OR TRADE—160-ACRE RANCH, Antelope Valley, 12 miles from Lancaster, 30 acres in alfalfa, fenced with wire netting; up-to-date pumping plant, abundant water, four-room house, 6 brood mares, 3 milch cows, 20 hogs, farm implements. With or without stock. Cheap for cash. Address 1818A SANTA CRUZ ST., Los Angeles.

FOR SALE—80 ACRES NEAR LANCASTER, $1200 cash; south ½ of S.W. 1-4 of section 16, T. 8, R. 11. Address GEO. E. WEAVER, Timber Lake, South Dakota.

FOR SALE—640 ACRES NEAR WILLOW SPRINGS. Will divide. R. J. BUSCH, Hatter, Broadway, corner 2nd st.

Santa Cruz.

FOR SALE—RANCHES, HOMES, ACRES. FREE list. WILSON BROS., Santa Cruz, Cal.

FOR SALE—
Northern and Eastern Property.

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COACHELLA VALLEY—

FOR SALE—12,000 ACRES SOUTHERN PACIFIC land for sale near Mecca, sold on 10-years time, one-tenth cash.
SOUTHERN PACIFIC LAND CO.,
410 Grosse Bldg., Los Angeles, Cal.

FOR SALE—MY SOLE BUSINESS FOR 5 YEARS has been the handling of Coachella Valley lands. I sell only the best. Maps on request. Call and see date display. Excursion on Tuesdays. J. S. WEED & CO., 1010 Wright & Callender Bldg.

GOVERNMENT LAND—

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VICTOR VALLEY LANDS—

Victor Valley, the great pear and apple land country, 100 miles from Los Angeles. See our list of snaps in Victor Valley. Fine communities, railroads, abundance of water from wells, $2.50 to $25 per acre. Call for folder. Ask about excursions. Don't fail to get list of bargains.

CALIFORNIA LAND AND WATER CO.,
"The Center of Optimism."
60619. 422 Van Nuys Bldg. Main 5190.

I AM NOW AND HAVE BEEN FARMING FOR SIX years in the Hinckley district and can locate you there on good government land, free from alkali and near R.R., in proven water district, for $1 per acre. Address me, WILSON, care of 701 O. T. Johnson Bldg. A4498; Main 8768, or evenings, A4498.

$1.00 PER ACRE, ONLY; I'LL LOCATE AND SURvey for you the best land, where water stands 25 feet from surface; by new auto road, only 3 hours; it's sure to go soon. VICTOR VALLEY LAND CO., 426 Exchange Bldg.

WE HAVE A CHOICE SECTION OF LAND 100 miles from Los Angeles; only 40 feet to water; alfalfa ranches within a few miles; land is level, soil is deep; two or four can file on this. 431 CHAMBER OF COMMERCE.

SAN JOAQUIN VALLEY—

FOR SALE—TO CLOSE AN ESTATE, 672 ACRES on railroad in Merced county, all good farm land, now planted to barley, large house and barn, water easily developed. Price $40. E. A. ALLEN, 917 Union Oil Bldg. 10421.

IMPERIAL VALLEY—

FOR SALE—OR EXCHANGE—
640, very fine soft land, 65 acres ready for crop, balance can easily be leveled, 40 shares of water, only $16,000.
40 acres, near El Centro, nearly all been in crop, best soft land, water stocked, $4800.
I am going to the valley this week.
E. A. ALLEN, 917 Union Oil Bldg.

FOR SALE—120 ACRES OF THE BEST LAND IN Imperial Valley. All under the highest state of cultivation and fully water stocked. Will sell cheap for cash, including growing crops. Address W. R. AMES, Owner, 710 Broadway Central Bldg., Los Angeles.

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ORANGE AND LEMON GROVES—
For Sale, Exchange, Wanted.

FOR SALE — FOR FINANCIAL REASON, WILL sell all or part 40 acres oranges. A ranch such as is seldom offered for sale. Has had two owners within 22 years and is not a speculative grove. Less than 25 miles from Los Angeles—on county boulevard, and ½ mile from car line. Will show packing-house returns for last year of $26,000 (without smudging.) Will allow $400 per acre on purchase price if I reserve crop now on trees. Price $1700 per acre—½ cash. A rare opportunity for quick action. Agents not protected. OWNER, 1555 MANHATTAN PLACE. Phone 53397.

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FOR SALE — MUST HAVE MONEY. ORANGE grove, Lincoln Heights, 15 acres. This is one of the best groves in that section. Will pay 10 per cent. this year on $30,000. But I am going to sell it to the first man who makes me an offer anywhere near the actual cash value, as I have to have money. No trade. J. L. MILLER, with T. M. Miller Co., 205 Mercantile place. F4978, Broadway 1190.

FOR EXCHANGE—10 ACRES, SOLID NAVELS, 15 years old, estimated light crop 3500 boxes, fine quality; Pomona city water, gas, lights, phone; 52 lots, street car 1 block; no incumbrance; cash price $15,000; prefer L. A. building lots. C. H. KEGLEY, owner, 228 W. Second st., noon hours.

FOR SALE—
One of the very best 10-acre, FULL BEARING Valencia orange orchards and homes in all Southern California. Choice location, near Orange.
C. B. BERGER & CO.,
304-5 Lankershim Bldg. Phone F6277.

FOR SALE—
FORCED SALE.
12 acres Valencias, on blvd. near Los Angeles, will sacrifice $5000 for quick sale. New house. J. L. ADDIS, 1006 Van Nuys. F1966, Bdwy. 1906.

FOR SALE—NINE ACRES, NEAR CASA VERDUGO Foothills; 5 acres of 12-year-old navel oranges; 4 acres beautiful mountain slope for suburban homes. OWNER, 504 Title Guarantee Bldg. Telephone F3510.

FOR SALE—
Splendid young walnut orchard. Income this year $3500.
C. B. BERGER & CO.,
304-5 Lankershim Bldg. Phone F6277.

FOR EXCHANGE—HAVE 40 ACRES ORANGES near Lindsey, will trade for Los Angeles property. Will be at Hotel Hayward Tuesday and Wednesday. L. E. ATKINSON.

FOR SALE—
Poultry Ranches.

FOR SALE—ONE ACRE ON IMPROVED BOULEvard in Glendale, close in; all fitted up for pigeon and chicken ranch; house and wire yards for 3000 birds; all in excellent shape; barn and sheds; plenty fruit trees; roses and shrubbery; small California house; price $4500; terms. See PADELFORD, 420 Consolidated Realty Bldg. Main 3511. F1938.

FOR SALE—WILLOWBROOK POULTRY RANCH, 5-room new modern bungalow, half acre land; plenty cheap water, on best street, near station, church, school, stores, save $300 today; price for quick sale $1950; $150 down, $20 month. HENRY MARER, Owner, 213 Grant Bldg. Fourth and Broadway.

FOR SALE—IN BEAUTIFUL SAN GABRIEL VALley, $10 down and $10 per month, on electric car line. J. W. PINNEY, room 6, Lyceum Theater, 227 S. Spring st.

HOTELS—LODGING HOUSES—
For Sale, Exchange, Lease, Wanted.

FOR SALE — OR EXCHANGE—20,000 BARGAINS in real estate, business chances, rooming and apartment houses. We have what you want at Decker's, 452½ South Broadway, corner of 5th.

64-room hotel, central, exchange	$6000
34 rooms, brick, hotel, exch. apts.	$4200
29-room apts., want larger	$3500
60-room hotel, central, want ranch	$8000
34-room apts., want bungalow	$4500
100-room apartments, lease; now full.	
8 rooms, new furniture, want larger	$850
10 rooms, transient, best in city	$850
34 rooms, new apartments, exchange, offer	$4500
20 rooms, exchange for smaller	$2600
12 rooms, on Main, with lease	$750
12 rooms, pay well	$650
24 rooms, brick, corner, good location	$2000
24 rooms, want San Joaquin Valley	$2500
30 rooms, corner, on time	$1500
22 rooms, apartments, exchange larger	$1800
20 rooms, money-maker, exchange larger	$1400
20 rooms, modern hotel	$1800
20 rooms, in a live town	$800
22 rooms, brick, low rent	$2200
22 rooms, apartments, new, make offer	$3500
60 rooms, hotel, exchange good acreage	$4500
42 rooms, apartments, want raw acreage	$4500
50 rooms, central, take smaller	$5500
53-room apartments, new house, exch. larger	$3500
18 rooms, new apts., terms	$1800
14 rooms, apts., good lease	$650
10 rooms, must go now	$450
20 rooms, good lease, exchange larger	$1500
18 rooms, exchange for ranch	$2800
80 rooms, San Francisco, want L. A.	$3500
8-room bungalow, ex. lots, acreage	$5500
17 acres, alfalfa and fruits, ex. city	$9000
25 acres, highly imp. ex. stock ranch	$16,000
5-acre walnut grove, exch.	$7000
5 lots, good house, exch. apts.	$2500
320 acres, improved, stocked, exch.	$16,000
6-room, modern bungalow, exch. apts.	$4000
10-acre orange grove, fine home	exch.

H. C. DECKER, 452½ Broadway, Cor. 5th st.

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Ask Mr. Foster, Leasing Dept.
WRIGHT-CALLENDER-ANDREWS CO.,
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FOR SALE—FINE OPPORTUNITY TO GET 10-room house, close in, 5 years' lease; low rent, nicely furnished. $975; make offer. 1353 S. HILL. Main 6012.

FOR SALE—FURNITURE OF 13-ROOM APARTment, $450, part cash, balance on payments. STROUSE, 311 Severance Bldg. 61869.

FOR SALE—NICELY FURNISHED 20-ROOM house, private phones, steam heat, hot and cold water, good lease, best location. 827 WEST SEVENTH ST.

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FOR SALE—40 ROOMS, FOUR YEARS' LEASE. Call 116 E. FIRST ST.

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For Sale, Exchange, Lease, Wanted.

FOR SALE—OR EXCHANGE—FURNITURE AND 5-year lease of a new 20-room apartment-house at 917 Grand View st., Los Angeles; must sell, small payment down, balance terms, or will take lot, land or auto. PHONE SUNSET GLENDALE 998J.

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FOR SALE—LEASE AND FURNITURE OF HIGH-class apartment-house, 16 apartments, best residence section, 15 minutes from Broadway. Immediate vicinity of the beautiful Westlake Park. See [illegible]

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FOR EXCHANGE—2 FINE MODERN BUNGALOWS, 3474 and 3484 East 4th st., one rented to fine tenant, the other all ready to occupy. Price for the two, $7000. Will exchange equity of $5300 for clear land or good eastern property. See Owner, R. W. POINDEXTER, 409 Wilcox Bldg.

FOR EXCHANGE—$13,000; NEW, MODERN HOME, large east front lot, Magnolia ave. Take $5000 in clear property. W. N. HOLWAY, 304 Wilcox Bldg. F8451.

FOR EXCHANGE — ONE 6-ROOM COTTAGE ON Pico st. and one business property in center of town; will exchange for small ranch of 20 to 40 acres, close to Los Angeles. PHONE SOUTH 1239.

FOR EXCHANGE — SUNNY, ELEVATED, "HOME-like home," splendid surroundings. Want smaller. Consider clear lot. NO COMMISSION. Telephone 28121.

FOR EXCHANGE — YOUR EQUITY IN BOYLE Heights property for $2500 equity in 7-room 2-story house; big lot, fine garage; Bimini way. Investigate. 59154.

FOR EXCHANGE—NEW MODERN 5-ROOM HOUSE value $1800; mortgage $900, for good value, clear lot. OWNER, 516 Chamber of Commerce.

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Have three good lots, high class, for L. A. Investment Co. stock or gold notes. Address W, box 352, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

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Country Property.

FOR EXCHANGE—OR SALE—
Apartment-house at Venice, $35,000. Want alfalfa land or orange grove.
Apartment-house, city, $75,000. Want clear real estate and some cash.
Six-flat building, city, $27,500. Want walnut grove.
Orange grove near Fullerton, $45,000. Want income.
21 acres near Downey, well improved; part alfalfa and part grove, $21,000. Want income.
Beautiful new 11-room residence, Wilshire district at sacrifice. Have many other bargains in Wilshire property.
De LONG & BRADBURY,
625-626 Union Oil Bldg. F3290.

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400 Acres Clear.
With plenty of water, in San Bernardino County. Price $100 per acre.
Will trade part or all for city property and pay cash difference.
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FOR EXCHANGE—COUNTRY PROPERTY.
Have 160 acres, also 80 acres Topanga Canyon property at $40 per acre, clear; will consider house or automobile. Address W, box 351, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

FOR EXCHANGE—OR SALE—120-ACRE RANCH, Tulare Co., part in alfalfa, stock and machinery; will take city or oranges. P. W. THIESEN, care Times Branch Office.

FOR EXCHANGE—20 ACRES UNIMPROVED LAND, 6½ miles from depot, San Joaquin Valley; abundant water; want house and lot or equity in bungalow. 5209 WALL ST., Los Angeles.

FOR EXCHANGE—$3000, CLEAR, 50 ACRES LAND, all level, good soil; want bungalow; will assume. H. A. STOUFFER, 125 S. Broadway. 15490.

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FOR EXCHANGE — TWO MODERN 5-ROOM houses in Salt Lake City; want California, small acreage preferred. Address WM. KRAACK, 1085 Pirpont ave., Salt Lake City, or Argonaut Hotel, Los Angeles.

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FOR EXCHANGE—$150,000, CLEAR, 4000 ACRES beautiful timber and farm land, Colorado; ideally located, close to sawmill; owner wants large clear apartments or hotel building, Los Angeles. Phone F5452, Main 1472. 816 TRUST & SAV. BLDG.

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FOR EXCHANGE—
Real Estate Miscellaneous.

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8-room house, beach, ex. L.A.	$7000
Fine property, suburban town, wants city	$7000
300 A., fine apple land, want city	$30,000
Store property, steady tenant, ex. lot, apts.	$6000
10-rm. house, mod., large lot, ex. smaller	$15,000
—rm. cottage, 4 lots, ex. acreage, beach	$4000
9-rm. bungalow, modern, ex. lots, acreage	$5500
25 A. oranges, walnuts, clear, ex. ranch	$25,000
9-rm. house, beach, cor. ex. city	$3500
Santa Barbara, 5-room house, ex. L. A.	$2700
5-room bungalow, modern, ex. apts.	$3500
5 acres, cor., clear, ex. L. A. bungalow	$3500
Pasadena cottage, mod., ex. Hollywood	$3000
5-room bungalow, new, modern, ex. lot	$3500
Fine house, west side, ex. Long Beach	$4700
Drug store, low rent, good lease, ex. prop.	$3000
5000 PLACES NOT ADVERTISED AT DECKER'S	
6-room house, Hollywood, ex. smaller	$4500
5-room house, at beach, corner, ex. L. A.	$3500
$2500 equity in bungalow, ex. auto and cash	$2500
Store property, well located, ex. lots, etc.	$5000
Modern bungalow, beautiful location, ex. L.B.	$4700
New Bungalow, Moneta way, ex. higher ground	$3500
160 acres, Madero Co., ex. smaller near-by	$8500
9-room house, Pasadena, modern, ex. smaller	$5500
10 acre orange grove, ex. apt. property	$30,000

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Free of incumbrance, for exchange for acreage in California. What have you got? Address W, box 346, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

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FOR EXCHANGE—GILT-EDGE FIRST MORTGAGE for 8 to 12 heavy young mares; will also consider good dairy cows. Phone F5452, Main 1472. 816 TRUST & SAVINGS BLDG.

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FOR EXCHANGE—J. GOLD & SONS, 301 CURrier Bldg., buy and exchange real estate all over the world if your prices are right. We charge no commission.

FOR EXCHANGE—BEN WHITE WILL EXCHANGE your property. 304 BRYSON BLDG., Second and Spring. Member L.A.R.B.

FOR EXCHANGE—PITTSBURGH, PA., PROPERTY for your Los Angeles investment stock. 1919 SANTA ROSA AVE., Pasadena, Cal.

FOR EXCHANGE — WE SPECIALIZE ON EXchanges for results. Leave it with PETERSON, 424 W. Sixth st.

FOR EXCHANGE—I MATCH ANY TRADE, LARGE or small, in farm or city property, in any state. J. A. KING, Room 1, Lyon Bldg., Riverside, Cal.

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FOR SALE—
$5000.
A golden opportunity to buy the controlling interest of a large, profitable business; modern apartment-house, always well filled. A clean, genteel proposition, making good money. Have to sacrifice an interest or all. You can make $3000 by buying the controlling interest. Be wise, act now. Address Owner, Y, box 563, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WE HAVE SEVERAL REMINGTON AND SMITH Premier typewriters, invisible writing models, for which we have no use, having replaced them with late model machines. Will sell these for $15 each. Are in good condition. See LYLE, Times Office, First and Broadway.

FOR SALE — HAVE YOU $1200? IF SO, AND you are looking for an honest investment, where you will find employment and be your own boss, I can (on account of being called East,) sell you my business and show you a great future. This will bear rigid investigation and may be just what you are looking for. Business will qualify; can you? Address X, box 557, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

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WANTED—GOOD BUSINESS MAN WITH EXPERIence to invest and take charge of manufacturing plant. See Manager 122 E. SIXTH ST. to show you plant. This is something that will pay you to investigate.

THE RIGHT MAN, WITH $25,000 CASH, COMpetent to assume office management and acquire half interest in an established paying business. Address H, box 56, TIMES OFFICE.

AS I HAVE TO GO BACK TO MY MINES, I WILL sell my partnership in a very reputable real estate office. Address Y, box 353, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

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LARGE FIREPROOF BUILDING, LONG LEASE AND CHEAP RENT; BEST EQUIPPED AND FINEST LOCATION IN CITY; GUARANTEE NET PROFITS NOT LESS THAN $500 A MONTH. PRICE $12,000; HALF CASH, WHICH INCLUDES LARGE STOCK AND FOUR AUTOS. DEATH CAUSE OF SALE.
GOLDEN STATE INVESTMENT CO.,
SUITE 910 TITLE INS. BLDG.
PHONES F2048, OR MAIN 697.

$1200—PARTNER IN BIG MAIN STREET CIGAR stand, will clear you $150 monthly; must stand watch.
NEATEST LITTLE grocery with living-rooms in city.
$425—RESTAURANT, west, $30 daily.
$250 CASH, delicacy, always busy. Price $550.
See F. C. SIMPSON, 202½ S. Broadway.

PICTURE THEATER—PICTURE THEATER.
Something unusual; $300 secures an equal association with theatrical man of many years' experience. Theater located on busy street. Thickly settled residential district. Capacity 375. Magnificently furnished after latest pattern. Experience unnecessary, but must be honest and reliable. Particulars, UNITED THEATER EXCHANGE, 453½ S. Spring.

YOUR OPPORTUNITY; LARGE MANUFACTURING concern must have $3500 immediately; will give best security and interest in business; must have money Tuesday or Wednesday and will pay the price. Call up CHAMBERS, Home 71623, West 5624.

ALBERTA HAS GREAT AND VARIED PERMAnent natural resources. Keep your eye on her oil development. For detailed information address ALBERTA OIL DEVELOPMENT ASSOCIATION, Calgary, Alberta, Canada.

WANTED—PARTNER IN A COMPLETE CARnival company; $1000 cash will handle this. Will bear strict investigation. For further information address G, box 214, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR SALE—GROCERY AND MARKET, ESTABlished 7 years. Long lease and cheap rent. Will sell at invoice. Come and investigate. Buy of the owner. 2228 STEPHENSON AVE.

CIGAR AND CONFECTIONERY STORE ON ONE of the best traveled streets in Los Angeles, for sale at a sacrifice. Poor health reason for selling. 724 W. 3RD ST.

I HAVE A DANDY PICTURE THEATER DOWNtown, low rent, paying $15 to $25 daily. Clear; if you are looking for a good proposition. LEACH, Coast Realty Co., 138½ S. Spring st.

WANTED—MAN WITH EXECUTIVE ABILITY AND financial resources to take charge as manager in excellent salaried position. Address or call 415-416 SLAVIN BLDG., Pasadena.

FOR SALE—AN OLD-WELL ESTABLISHED FEED and fuel yard, doing a profitable business, must sell on account of sickness. Call 1618 N. MAIN. Or phone East 2093.

THE CUT-RATE FURNITURE MOVING COMPANY will move all your furniture and piano by contract for $6 or $8. Beach and country trips cheap. Phone day or night. BOYLE 2065, HOME 41459.

FOR SALE—I HAVE A CAFETERIA AT LONG Beach and one at Pomona; wish to sell one of them. Have money-maker for you. Address P. O. BOX 206, Pomona.

TELEPHONE "WANT ADS"—
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FOR SALE—ONE-CHAIR BARBER SHOP, OLD-ESTablished stand. For price and terms, apply at shop, 236 E. 53D ST. Maple ave. car.

FOR SALE—BAKERY ROUTE WITH AUTOMOBILE, clearing $5 per day. Apply 2311 CENTRAL AVE.

FOR SALE—BARBER SHOP AND CIGAR STAND, center of Hollywood. Bargain of your life before Jan. 1. 6670 HOLLYWOOD BLVD.

FOR SALE—CLEANING AND PRESSING ESTABlishment. 930 S. BROADWAY.

FOR SALE—CONFECTIONERY, BAKERY AND restaurant combined; weak competition, long lease, cheap rent. BOX 34, Exeter, Cal.

FOR SALE — SODA FOUNTAIN, ICE CREAM LOcated in depot. This is a bargain. DECKER, 452½ S. Broadway.

WANTED—GOOD PAYING BUSINESS, HAVE SOME cash and two fine building lots in South Hollywood. 618 CHAMBER OF COMMERCE. A1838.

WANTED—BAKERS TO OPEN BAKERY. OWNER will build ovens. Telephone MAIN 6720.

FOR SALE—RESTAURANT, CHEAP IF SOLD AT once, on account of another business. 204 E. SIXTH ST.

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Of Many Kinds Unclassified.

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TITLE GUARANTEE SALES CO.,
425½ S. Spring st.

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WE OWN AND OFFER FOR SALE CONTROL OF stock in growing manufacturing business in Los Angeles; established six years and doing business of $50,000 annually; certified statement of assets and liabilities; position with investment. Address Z, box 545, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

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$1750 terms. Completely and magnificently equipped throughout. 325 opera chairs. Lease 3 years. Low rent. No competition. An unusual opportunity. UNITED THEATER EXCHANGE, 453½ S. Spring.

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FOR SALE — GENERAL STORE, WITH POSTOFfice, in fastest growing town in Southern California; factory pay roll of $50,000 per month; 16 miles from Los Angeles; doing $3500 per month business; only parties with capital need answer. Call Hollywood 2148 or write MRS. LOU SILVERMAN, 5446 Monticello ave., South Hollywood, Los Angeles.

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FOR SALE—BY OWNER, A NEAT LITTLE BAKery and light line of groceries in southwest district, doing a nice business daily; close to schools. Reason for selling, having other business. Price $450. Call Monday, 2705 SOUTH VERMONT AVE. Phone West 690.

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GROCERY.
$1700.
A-1 location, big stock; no delivery. Will clear profit $8 a day. Sudden departure. Owner, 1020 EAST 8TH ST.

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WELL FURNISHED REAL ESTATE OFFICE ON corner 39th st. and Normandie ave. (established 3 years) for rent cheap to a reliable agent. Inquire corner 39TH ST and NORMANDIE AVE.

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All Sorts.

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Real Estate and Improvements.

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FIRST MORTGAGES, 6 AND 7 PER CENT. $1000 TO $100,000.

AMERICAN MORTGAGE COMPANY,
611 and 613 South Hill st.

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HAVE CASH ON HAND.
$1000—$1500—$2000—$2500
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Must loan this week—No red tape.
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$2500 on new building. Must be under 50 per cent. of value, 7 per cent.
$5000, 7 per cent. Must act quick.
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See me if your mortgage is coming due; have money on hand to renew or place new loan.
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We loan our own funds; you can get money if you have a clear lot. Interest 6 and 7 per cent. Plans furnished.
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Interest 6, 7 and 8 per cent., and on Straight Building Loans Our Specialty. Apartment-houses Financed.
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Prompt service—Moderate charges.
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TO LOAN—MONEY.
SECOND MORTGAGE MONEY TO LOAN [illegible]
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WILL BUY YOUR FIRST MORTGAGE [illegible] with my own funds. No escrow. [illegible] 10 to 2. OSCAR MILLER, 215 [illegible] Main 1082, 13220.

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HAVE $1000; ALSO $2000 TO PLACE ON building loan for 3 years at 7 per cent. [illegible] SON, 323 Douglas Bldg. Main 680. [illegible]

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NINE PER CENT., SECOND MORTGAGE [illegible] Reasonable time. SECOND MORTGAGE [illegible] PANY, 932 Union Oil Bldg.

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ANY AMOUNT.
ON CITY OR COUNTRY PROPERTY.
APPLY TO MR. KELLY, LOAN DEPT.
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9TH, SPRING AND MAIN STS.
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ROOM 423 TITLE INSURANCE BLDG.,
5TH AND SPRING STS.

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BUILDING LOANS, $1500 UP; NONE TOO SMALL, no waiting. PHONE 29411.

BUILDING LOANS MADE. CALL EVENINGS. PHONE [illegible]

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[illegible] TO LOAN ON IMPROVED AT 7 PER CENT. HAROLD D. DALE, 869 Security Bldg.

[illegible] LOAN—$700 ON CITY IMPROVED. EDWARD C. CRIBB, 216 Consolidated Realty Bldg.

[illegible] LOAN—$8000 ON CITY OR COUNTRY. DECKER, 452½ S. Broadway.

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Salaries and Chattels.

IF YOU WANT A REASONABLE, RELIABLE PLACE to borrow money on your household furniture, [illegible] and live stock you will make no [illegible] by coming to us. You keep the security in your possession and pay us what you can each [illegible]. Let us tell you more about it at our [illegible] or at your home.
CENTRAL LOAN COMPANY,
[illegible] SECURITY BLDG., 510 S. SPRING.
F6512. MAIN 4018.

[illegible] ON FURNITURE, PIANOS, HORSES, WAGONS, LIVE STOCK, ETC.
BEST RATES AND EASIEST TERMS.
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Real Estate and Collaterals.

WANTED—MONEY.

We have a complete list of FIRST MORTGAGES for sale ranging from $500.00 upward.

AMERICAN MORTGAGE COMPANY,
611 and 613 South Hill st.

WANTED—MONEY.
$[illegible], three years, 7 per cent. on new, two-story four-room flat building; beautiful [illegible] Heights. Lot 50x140. Value $2000; building cost $7500.
[illegible] T. M. PERRY, 611 South Hill. Phone 10345.

WANTED—$1800 ON NEW AND MODERN, 7-room bungalow, southwest on paved street. [illegible] 7 per cent., 37th and Main. [illegible] $4000, 7 per cent., near Washington st. [illegible] Heights, on $8500 modern, 2-story, $10,000. [illegible] years, seven per cent., or $15,000 [illegible] Fayette Square dwelling, $22,000. [illegible] cent. on $32,000, modern apartment near [illegible] and Grand View; income $1500 month. F. PATTEE, 315 Trust and Savings Bldg. [illegible]

WANTED—A LARGE MANUFACTURING CONCERN must have $3500 Tuesday or Wednesday; will give gilt-edged security and big discount for 90-day [illegible]. Call CHAMBERS, Home 71623, West 5624.

[illegible] WANTED—
[illegible] at 8 per cent. Less than 40 per cent. [illegible]
[illegible] at 7 per cent. on close-in property worth [illegible]
[illegible] at 8 per cent. New 7-room bungalow in [illegible]
[illegible] at 7 per cent., gilt edge security.
A. E. SHINN & SON,
614 H. W. Hellman Bldg. Bdwy. 3396.

WANTED—
$45,000 AT 7 PER CENT.
$9000 AT 7 PER CENT.
$5000 AT 7 PER CENT.
$3500 AT 7 PER CENT.
ONE OR 5 YEARS.
WE HANDLE W. SEVENTH ST. PROPERTY EXCLUSIVELY. THE SAFEST AND BEST PROPERTY IN THE CITY TO LOAN ON. HAVE SEVERAL CHOICE PIECES DESIRING LOANS. IF YOU WANT CHOICE MORTGAGES SEE [illegible] SEVENTH STREET IMPROVEMENT CO., 1327 W. SEVENTH ST. WILSHIRE 1315.

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$[illegible], 8 per cent., Wilshire section; new bungalow, worth $3750; right on Kingsley Drive, too.
$[illegible], 8 per cent., beautiful Hollywood home, [illegible] be $4200; on 100-foot street, worth $3800; [illegible] will like this one.
FRED G. HOLLAND,
129 S. Broadway. Main 496.

WANTED — MONEY, $1800, 3 YEARS, 8 PER cent., on lot 40x120, with fine new, 6-room [illegible] 1525 Middleton place, near Van Ness ave. [illegible] West 39th st. car to Western ave. Will [illegible] 2 per cent. commission to private party who [illegible] make loan. See owner, ARTHUR FAITHORN, [illegible]

WANTED—MONEY, $1800, 3 YEARS, 8 PER cent., on lot 40x125, with fine new, 6-room [illegible], 1525 Middleton place, near Van Ness ave. [illegible] W. 39th st. car to Western ave. Will pay [illegible] PER CENT. commission to private party who [illegible] make loan. See owner, F. W. RITCHIE, on [illegible]

WANTED—
$[illegible]—6; Wilshire, vacant lot, value $2500.
$[illegible]—6; flats, value $4500.
$[illegible]—6; flats, value $7500.
$[illegible]—6; flats, value $12,000.
F. M. WELLS, 705 Union Oil Bldg. A5721.

WANTED—A WELL-KNOWN BUSINESS MAN DEsires a loan of $25,000 to take up a 6 per cent. bank loan of same amount soon to fall due. [illegible] is an extra high-class first mortgage loan on [illegible] city property valued at over $90,[illegible] will pay 7 per cent. interest, payable semi-[illegible]. Address G, box 249, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—CAN USE THE FOLLOWING AMOUNTS on first-class real estate security. $3000, $1000, $4000, $5000; three years, 7 and 8 per cent. Loan Department, RAMEY INVESTMENT CO., [illegible] Van Nuys Bldg.

WANTED — MONEY, $1700, 3 YEARS, 8 PER cent., on lot 40x120, with 5-room, modern [illegible] 148 W. 59th st. Will pay 2½ per cent. [illegible] for this loan if taken at once. Apply MATTHEWS & MATTHEWS, 329 Douglas Bldg.

WANTED — MONEY. HERE'S A GOOD ONE. [illegible] wanted on new apartment-house, easily [illegible] $14,000; income $400 monthly. Also $2500 [illegible] on new, 2-story residence, worth $5000 [illegible] STANDARD, 436 Bradbury Bldg.

WANTED—A LOAN OF $3000 ON 80 ACRES OF [illegible] and fruit ranch with buildings, stock and [illegible]. Worth $15,000. First mortgage for [illegible] for 3 years. Apply 330 W. SEVENTH. [illegible] City.

WANTED—$4500, THREE YEARS, AT 7 PER cent., 2 per cent. commission. Money to be [illegible] to refund first loan and balance for improvements on property. Phone OWNER Ver[illegible]

WANTED—$5000 OR $6000, 5 YEARS, 6 PER cent. Interest quarterly in advance, secured on [illegible] corner residence income, like government [illegible] No agents. Call or address OWNER, 2828 [illegible]

WANTED—MONEY.
[illegible] 8 per cent., for $1800 loan on my [illegible] and lot valued at $4500. High-class investment. Address H, box 396, TIMES BRANCH [illegible]

WANTED—$2500, BUILDING LOAN WANTED TO [illegible] an inimitable "Sweet" bungalow. I can [illegible] for the real value. Come in today. [illegible] E. SWEET DES. AND BLDG. CO., [illegible] Black Bldg. F1175; Bdwy. 1612.

WANTED—$30,000 FOR 3 OR 5 YEARS AT 6 per cent., on splendid income property very [illegible] Large income. EVANS-MOSS REALTY [illegible] 608 H. W. Hellman Bldg. A2144. Main [illegible]

WANTED—MONEY.
[illegible] are seeking first-class mortgage loans and [illegible] call me up; A-1 loans from $1000 up [illegible] 5 years' experience.
[illegible] E. KING. Home phone 29411.

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—SHORT TIME LOANS ON REAL ESTATE. WE MAKE loans secured by first and second mortgages on real estate, payable within a year, or in monthly payments if preferred; our rates are much lower than brokers. We handle our own funds and can pay the money the same day we inspect your property. No application to sign, no appraisement fee, no certificate, no notary or escrow fee. WE BUY mortgages, trust deeds and contracts. A COMPANY, 202-204-206 American Bldg., corner 2nd and Spring. Phones—Broadway 1811.

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—MONEY— ANY AMOUNT. CITY OR COUNTRY PROPERTY. APPLY TO MR. KELLY, LOAN DEPT., ROBERT MARSH & CO., 200 MARSH-STRONG BLDG., 9TH, SPRING AND MAIN STS. MAIN 5945.

—ON HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, PIANOS, REAL ESTATE CONTRACTS, ETC. $10 and up to $300. Call, write or Phone Main 2474 or A5912. GUARANTEE LOAN CO., 406 TITLE INSURANCE BLDG., 5TH AND SPRING STS.

—BUILDING LOANS IF YOU HAVE A lot and furnish plans, specifications and to full cost of building, including same in L. F. S. SYNDICATE, 620 L. A. Bldg. F7916, Main 2043.

—LOANS, $1500 UP; NONE TOO BIG; PHONE 29411.

—LOANS MADE. CALL EVENINGS. PHONE

—TESTER, 225 STORY BLDG., MAIN 4093. $2500 to loan, 7 to 8 per cent.

—LOANED — CONTRACTS AND MORTGAGES bought. A. McCALL, 314 Bullard Block.

—TO LOAN ON IMPROVED AT 7 PER CENT. D. DALE, 830 Security Bldg.

—$100 ON CITY IMPROVED. EDWARD 316 Consolidated Realty Bldg.

—$5000 ON CITY OR COUNTRY. DECK- 5 S. Broadway.

MONEY TO LOAN—
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IF YOU WANT A REASONABLE, RELIABLE PLACE to borrow money on your household furniture, pianos, wagons and live stock you will make no mistake in coming to us. You keep the security in your possession and pay us what you can each month. Let us tell you more about it at our office or at your home. CENTRAL LOAN COMPANY, 410 SECURITY BLDG., 510 S. SPRING. F5612. MAIN 4018.

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—MEN AND WOMEN ACCOMMODATED without delay or publicity. SOUTHERN CREDIT CO., T. Johnson Bldg.

—RUSEL, 206-207 STIMSON BLDG. WE BUY DIAMONDS ALSO. DIAMONDS, CONFIDENTIAL BANK. FRITCH-LAUGHLIN, 710 Grant Bldg.

MONEY WANTED—
Real Estate and Collaterals.

—MONEY. We have a complete list of FIRST MORTGAGES for sale ranging from $500.00 upward. AMERICAN MORTGAGE COMPANY, 611 and 613 South Hill st.

—MONEY. —three years, 7 per cent. on new, two-story four-room flat building; beautiful Angeles Lot 50x140. Value $3000; build- ... R. PERRY, 611 South Hill. Phone 10345.

—$1800 ON NEW AND MODERN, 7-room bungalow, southwest on paved street. 7 per cent., 37th and Main, improved. 7 per cent., near Washington st. on $6500 modern, 2-story. $10,000. ... $15,000. ... $22,000. ... on $32,000, modern apartment, near ... View; income $1600 month. ... 535 Trust and Savings Bldg. Main

—A LARGE MANUFACTURING CONCERN ... $2500 Tuesday or Wednesday; will ... security and big discount for 30-day ... CHAMBERS, Home 71623, West 3624.

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$1000 AT 7 PER CENT. $2000 AT 7 PER CENT. $3000 AT 7 PER CENT. $5000 AT 7 PER CENT. ONE OR 5 YEARS.

—W. SEVENTH ST. PROPERTY EX- THE SAFEST AND BEST PROPERTY IN CITY TO LOAN ON. HAVE SEVERAL PIECES DESIRING LOANS. IF YOU WANT MORTGAGES SEE US. SEVENTH STREET ... CO., 1227 W. SEVENTH ST. WIL-

—TO SHOW YOU THESE— ... per cent., Wilshire section; new bungalow; right on Kingsley Drive, too. ... per cent., beautiful Hollywood home, ... on 100-foot street, worth $6000; ... FRED G. HOLLAND, 129 S. Broadway. Main 496.

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WANTED—MONEY ON FIRST MORTGAGES—SAFE INVESTMENTS—FREE FROM TAXES. Courtesy to agents and brokers.

$1600—3 years, 8 per cent., lot 100x100, northwest corner Hollywood boulevard and Garfield ave., Hollywood, with one large apartment-house, 135 rooms, value $100,000 and more. This is one of 50 of a series. Interest very promptly paid. This is a No. 1 gilt-edge investment for $1000, or any larger amount. Send for circular showing cut of building and details in full of loan.

$1250—3 years, 8 per cent., on lot 40x130, on Carlton avenue, between Cypress street and San Fernando road, with fine new 5-room bungalow, value $2750.

$1500—3 years, 8 per cent., on lot 48x135, on Dryden street, near Louise st., Glendale, with fine new six-room bungalow; value $3000.

$1800—3 years, 8 per cent., on lot 40x135, on Montclair street, near 10th avenue and W. Adams; improved with fine 8-room bungalow; valued at $3800.

$1800—3 years, 8 per cent., on lot 40x129, on Middleton place, between Western and Van Ness avenues, with a fine new 6-room bungalow, value $4000. We have 18 other similar loans in same neighborhood.

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MATTHEWS & MATTHEWS,
The Leading Mortgage Brokers,
320 Douglas Bldg., cor. Third and Spring.

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JNO. P. REED CO.,
218 O. T. Johnson Bldg.
Phones: 10729 or Broadway 3023.

$2000—At 8, Burlington, near W. 4th, house.
$2000—At 8, W. 49th, Vermont Sq., new house.
$2500—At 7, new residence, near Hoover, Westlake.
$2500—At 8, near Jefferson, Normandie, 4 flats.
$3000—At 8, W. 24th, nr. Congress, 9-room house.
$3000—At 8, Washington-Roosevelt, new house.
$3000—At 7, Adams st., near Central, 9 rooms.
$3000—At 7, near Oak-W. Washington, 8 rooms.
$3000—At 8, Hoover st., Westlake, 8 rooms.
$3250—At 7, W. 20th, 5th ave., new house, 8 rms.
$4000—At 7, 9 rooms, new, Wilshire way.
$4000—At 7, northwest, new apts., $11,000 property.
$4000—At 7, at Crenshaw, W. Pico, new residence.
$4000—At 8, at Figueroa, W. 40th, large house.
$4500—At 7, St. Andrews, corner house, Wilshire.
$4500—At 7, 23d, near Vermont, 4 4 flats, new.
$4500—At 8, at Valencia, W. 11, 4 4 flats, new.
$4500—At 7, near Jefferson, Main st. 4 4 flats, new.
$6000—At 7, faces Central ave., at Pico, $14,000 value.
$6000—At 7, near Figueroa, W. 8th st., 21 rooms.

WANTED—
$1600—3 years, 8 per cent., Arlington st., near 54th.
$1700—3 years, 8 per cent., Wilton Place, near 55th.
$1750—3 years, 8 per cent., St. Andrews Place, near 52d.
$1800—3 years, 8 per cent., St. Andrews Place, near 52d.

These properties are on asphalt paved streets. They have gas, water, electricity and sewer already installed. Water is inside lot line hence no digging up and spoiling street. Shade trees, city park in center tract, double car line, 5c fare. Houses are new—occupied by owners and worth more than double the amount of loan wanted. The lots alone range from $1200 to $1400. These are exceptionally good loans.
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First Mortgages,
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Los Angeles, Cal.

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UNION REALTY CO.,
60478. 621 S. Spring st. Main 2875.

WANTED—WILL SOME KIND PERSON HELP authoress to finance book of fiction and gift book of illustrated poems? I am dependent on my own efforts and a stranger here. Large security. Address G, box 147, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED — $550; FIRST MORTGAGE ON VERY fine lot, near Sunset blvd., value $1300; will pay 8 per cent. Address Z, box 511, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED—LOAN OF $600 ON TRUST DEED OF $1200, which is subject to a mortgage. BROADWAY 5411.

WANTED—A BUILDING LOAN OF $2000 TO HELP build a handsome 7-room bungalow in Hollywood. BROADWAY 5411.

WANTED — $10,000 ON MY COUNTRY HOME place in Sierra Madre, valued at $30,000. Address 701 I. N. VAN NUYS BLDG., or phone 22443.

WANTED—$50,000 ON IMPROVED BUSINESS PROPERTY. Insurance $50,000. No agents. Address OWNER, 1732 ROOSEVELT AVE.

WANTED—$5000 ON IMPROVED RANCH OF 75 acres, fine location, and abundance of water. Phone WILSHIRE 510, or address owner, 107 S. ARDMORE AVE.

WANTED—FROM PRINCIPALS ONLY, $2500, SECOND mortgage, first $1900 on $9000 properties. Will pay 12 per cent. for one year. P. O. BOX 1592.

WANTED—MONEY, AND YOU ARE GUARANTEED 1 per cent. per month and you get most excellent security. It will pay you to investigate this. "Do it now." Address XY, box 354, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED—IF YOU HAVE MONEY FOR GOOD SECOND trust deeds, see us, $1000 to $20,000. Liberal discount. Loan department, RAMEY INVESTMENT CO., 922 Van Nuys Bldg.

WANTED—$40,000 LOAN AT 7 PER CENT. LOT worth $20,000; building to cost $60,000; income $9000 yearly. Address Z, box 481, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED—$5000 BUILDING LOAN, 4 HOUSES ON a corner lot, worth $10,000. EDWARD M. SAVAGE, 4117 Wall st. Phone 29079.

WANTED—MONEY ON SECOND TRUST DEEDS. Liberal interest. SECOND MORTGAGE COMPANY, 932 Union Oil Bldg. 60066. Main 3849.

WANTED—APPLICATIONS FOR MONEY. $1000 and up. HUBBARD & HALL, 505 Van Nuys Bldg. 62803.

WANTED—$1000, 3 YEARS, 7 PER CENT., CITY improved property. Call MAIN 595 or A5237.

STOCKS AND BONDS—
Mortgages.

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WANTED—$1000 L. A. GOLD NOTE, PAST DUE. 1000 Pyramid Investment; 2000 Standard.
WE OFFER FOR SALE:
5000 Los Angeles Title and Trust, bargain.
1200 Los Angeles Investment, bid.
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WANTED — L. A. INV. GOLD NOTES, UP TO $5000. T. H. WAKEFIELD, 414 Van Nuys Bldg. F1472.

ONE THOUSAND UNION STOCK YARDS AT 4½c. Address G, box 287, TIMES OFFICE.

ONE THOUSAND SHARES STOCK YARDS, 4½ cents per share. VAN HOUTEN, 501 O. T. Johnson Bldg. A4227.

GOLD NOTES—
Wanted as part or entire payment on $3650, 5-room bungalow, South Pasadena, 1000 feet from Oak Knoll line. Inquire W. GOOD, 719 S. Hill.

WILL BUY WESTERN BUILDING, 45c; GIBRALTAR, 2¼c; Standard, 1½c; Addograph, Funding, offer. Will trade Overland roadster for gold notes. LINDENBAUM, 335 Security Bldg. A2338.

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Miscellaneous.

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FOR SALE — 1000 PRINTED LINEN LETTERheads, $3; 1000 business cards, or 250 billheads, envelopes, tickets, announcements, etc., $1; rapid work; 100 calling cards, 25c. PANAMA PRINTING PLANT, 542 S. Hill and 212 Mercantile Place.

FOR SALE — $18, DROP-HEAD SINGER SEWING machine, good as new. Domestic, $8. Tailor, $12. 100 big bargains. Renting and repairing. SINGER, 929 Hill. F2506. Main 4917.

FOR SALE—OR RENT—LARGEST ASSORTMENT invalid wheel chairs, physician's hospital and nurses' supplies. Sheldon vibrators. PROFESSIONAL SUPPLY CO., 415 W. 5th.

FOR SALE—AN ELEGANT LARGE ICELAND FOX stole and muff, new, also Russian lynx set; lady must sell, very cheap. West 5595. 1409 CONSTANCE ST.

FOR SALE—BIG DRIVE ON GAS LOGS, GENUINE asbestos logs, finest brass and black basket grates, brass fire screens, brass and oxidized andirons, also fine lot oak and maple mantels, very cheap. LOU SKEELS, 1428 So. Main.

FOR SALE—"SCOTTS" ASPHALTUM ROOF PAINTS 50c gallon; 5-gallon can $2. (For shingles and composition roofs.) SCOTT, The Roofer, 1702 S. Main. South 377. Home 23838.

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"DO NOT PLASTER, USE BEAVER BOARD." Inquire MONTGOMERY & MULLIN LUMBER CO., Fifth and San Pedro sts., Los Angeles.

FOR SALE—OR EXCHANGE—GOOD 6-HOLE COOK stove, hot water connection; also library table; want chickens. 1538 E. 22ND ST. South 7511.

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Safes bought, sold and exchanged. Cash, credit or trade. All sizes. All prices. DESK AND SAFE EXCHANGE, 117 S. Broadway.

FOR SALE—ALL KINDS OF STORE FIXTURES, carpets, tables, cases, shelves, electrical fixtures, 5 horse-power motor, machines, press, locks, etc. 242 S. SPRING.

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FOR SALE—I AM DISCONTINUING MY PRESENT lines; have several ROBERTSON $100 high-power vacuum cleaners, for sale at $65; National water-power washing machines for $10; Magic vacuum cleaners in good order, $15, and several good vibrators from $5 up. 222 EXCHANGE BLDG. Phone F2629.

FOR SALE—ON THE HAMMEL & D. RANCH, south of Beverly Hills, Cal., good barley hay. PHONE HOLLYWOOD 1022.

FOR SALE—VICTORIA FLOOR SHOWCASE, $15.50. Computing scale, $15; counters, cheese cutter, other fixtures, cheap. 343 S. LOS ANGELES ST.

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FOR SALE — LOS ANGELES ATHLETIC CLUB membership for sale. Address W, box 348, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

FOR SALE—BETTER PAINT AT LESS THAN half. FIREPROOF STONE PAINT CO., 431 East 7th. 12925.

FOR SALE—FIRE-PROOF AND BURGLAR-PROOF safes; large stock. Sales for exchange. SHEALY SAFE CO., 212 S. Hill st.

FOR SALE—SECOND-HAND FIRE-PROOF SAFE, cheap. ANDERSON, 304 S. Los Angeles st.

FOR SALE—TENTS AT COST, AT SCOTTY'S PLACE, 135 S. Los Angeles st. Phone MAIN 3330.

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Furniture.

FOR SALE—CLEARANCE PRICES ON ALL LINES of household goods. Genuine bargains in furniture. You can get more money here on your bill of furniture than anywhere in town. All goods delivered.

$ .60	Linoleum; best cork body	$ .38
1.50	White enameled bath stool	1.00
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3.25	Smoker's stand	2.50
5.00	Sanitary couch	3.50
6.00	Chiffonier	4.50
7.50	Fumed oak rocker; leather seat	5.50
8.00	Extension table	6.00
8.50	Cotton felt mattress; roll edge	6.75
11.00	Velour couch	8.50
12.50	Hall tree; French mirror	9.75
13.50	Cast cook stove	10.00
16.00	Brass bed, 2-inch post	12.50
19.50	Chase leather couch, fumed oak	15.00
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FOR SALE — FURNITURE OF 8-ROOM UPPER flat, rent $30; clear $35 over rental; elegant furnishings, mahogany and oak, felt mattresses, good clean bedding, Haviland china, every room a winner, and situated across street from academy of dancing that makes every evening one of delight looking at the handsomely-dressed women and well-groomed men; investigate (after Sunday,) 428½ W. 10TH ST.

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FOR SALE—AT SACRIFICE—FURNITURE OF UPper, 6-room flat. Rooms all outside and sunny. Nicely arranged for subletting. Rent reasonable. Close in. PHONE 25490.

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LOST — LADY'S GOLD WATCH, WITH NAME "Belle S. Haecker" on inside lid. Liberal reward by owner, BELLE HAECKER MILLS, Huntley Apts., 1207 W. Third st. Phone Main 834 or 10198. Apt. 313.

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LOST—SUNDAY NIGHT, COMING FROM AUDItorium concert to Fifth st. and Broadway, a small black Russia leather cardcase, with owner's visiting card in and paper money. Reward. Return to TIMES OFFICE.

LOST — PHOTOGRAPH OF LADY AND THREE children, Sunday afternoon, near Main and 16th sts. Call MAIN 236 or F7017, will call for it.

STRAYED OR STOLEN—DARK-GRAY MARE, Christmas night, weight about 1250; wire cut on hind leg. Return to 979 CATALINA or call 73250, and receive reward.

LOST—DELTA CHI FRATERNITY PIN; HAS 4 diamonds, initials on back A. A. F., Jr. Reward. MRS. WALTER DERMITT, 1218 N. Alvarado st. Phone F2126. Main 4616.

LOST—HANDBAG AT VENICE, SUNDAY, CONtaining about $8, 4 bank certificates and other things. 1285 E. 38TH ST. South 6799. Reward.

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THE CITY
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LOCAL NEWS IN BRIEF.

Bishop Bell to Lecture.

At the meeting tomorrow morning of the Graded Sunday-school Union, a course of lectures on the "Life of Christ" will be commenced by Bishop W. M. Bell.

Meeting Postponed.

On account of New Years, no meeting will be held by the Federated Improvement Association on January 1, but the next meeting will be held on January 5 at the Chamber of Commerce.

Meeting of Young People.

Under the auspices of the Lyceum and Fisherman's clubs of the Bible Institute, a union meeting of young people will be held this evening in Choral Hall at 7:30 o'clock. Special music will be furnished by Miss Annie Maclarren and L. F. Peckham.

For Exposition Year.

Suburban editors have been invited to meet the Mayor's "1915 Entertainment Committee" at the Chamber of Commerce at noon today to discuss means for uniting every town in the county in plans for exposition year.

To the San Joaquin.

Plans for a merchants' excursion into the San Joaquin Valley late in January will be discussed today at a meeting of the Excursion Committee of the Chamber of Commerce. The tentative plans provide for visits to every important valley town on both the Southern Pacific and the Santa Fe.

Injured by Bicycle.

A. W. Serig of No. 122 West Twenty-seventh street, aged 63, was run down by a boy riding a bicycle at Fourth and Broadway shortly after 6 o'clock last evening. His left hand was fractured and left knee sprained by the contact. He was treated at the Receiving Hospital.

Fined a Bicycle.

H. L. Gordon was fined a bicycle by Police Judge Fredericksen yesterday on a charge of reckless driving. Gordon paid his fine, a new wheel. The reckless driving occurred on Christmas day at Eighth and Broadway, when Gordon drove his machine into a bicycle owned by C. B. Caesar, which was wrecked. Caesar described the wreck of his wheel vividly to the court, and the fine was entered. Caesar treated the court to a cigar. It was rejected—that is the bailiff confiscated it.

No End Yet.

It was the unpleasant jest of Louis Miller, who is a tailor, that it would take ninety-nine of his kind to make a man. He was put in that humor by failing health that had worried him for years. Yesterday he decided things should end abruptly and tried to abandon his wife and four children by slashing his throat with a razor. The wife was shopping downtown and the four children were playing with neighbors. Miller was alone in the house at No. 961 Edgeware road. When his wife returned he was still alive, and was taken to the Receiving Hospital. He is alive and will undoubtedly recover.

Cars and Tournament Crowd.

All cars of the Los Angeles Railway will be withdrawn from service on Main street from the Temple Block to Ninth street on New Year's day from 6 a.m. to 7 p.m., so that the Pacific Electric may have the uninterrupted use of the street in handling the Tournament of Roses' crowd. During these hours the Main and Garvanza, South Main and Griffith and Griffin-avenue cars will be diverted to Spring street. No arrangements for the handling of the Hooper-avenue and West Adams cars have yet been made. Arrangements were also made yesterday by the Pacific Electric to transfer all the El Molino, Sawtelle-North Beach and Westgate flyer cars to Pasadena service New Year's day. This means the temporary annulment of the service on these lines. The service on many other lines will also be curtailed to provide extra cars for the Crown City event.

BEAR TRACKS ON BROADWAY.

Trail to Lead Across Continent First Goes to the Police Station—Animal Disturbs Traffic.

Eddie Gilson, who figures in the theatrical world because of his presentation of the trained bear, Frisco, is in trouble with the police. Eddie was arrested yesterday for disturbing traffic. While drilling along the streets with Frisco doing his turn as provider of amusement and money, Eddie was arrested by Patrolman Krug at Sixth and Spring streets and taken to the Central Police Station. There he explained that he was writing for a team of burros to come from the desert and then he was going to start across country for New York.

"What!" asked Capt. William Murray, "you are going to manage a bear and two burros on a trip across the continent?"

"Yes," said the amusement man.

"That's punishment enough for any man. You can go, boy, and I hope your lungs are large and your temper is stout."

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PASSING BOGUS BILLS CHARGED.

ARREST MADE IN AN ALLEGED COUNTERFEIT GAME.

Many Imitation Twenty-Dollar Silver Certificates Said to Have Been Negotiated Here—Good Workmanship Deceives Business Men, Who Fail to Detect Them.

In the arrest of Cipriano Vargas it is believed by United States Secret Service Operative Hazen that one of the leading crooks, who on Christmas day swindled saloon and cafe-keepers on Main and Spring streets out of about $2000 by passing off counterfeit $20 silver certificates, has been apprehended.

About ten days ago Hazen received word that a gang was about to make a descent on local business men with the object of passing twenty-dollar "phony" bills, the workmanship of which made them dangerous counterfeits. Hazen reported the matter to the various banks. Saturday morning one of the bills was deposited at the United States National Bank by the Capital Wine House, No. 410 North Main street, among other moneys. The bill was detected at once and the business house notified.

Later Cipriano Vargas and Bernardo Haure, the latter also a Mexican, were picked up in a cafe on North Main street. Vargas was recognized as the man who had passed the bill at the Capital Wine House. An investigation showed that he roomed at No. 419½ North Main street, but a search of his quarters failed to show any incriminating evidence. Haure is being held on suspicion, as before Vargas was taken into custody he told Haure to go to his room and "clean it up."

Vargas asserts that he does not know where he got the bad bill, but it is the opinion of Hazen that he is one of a gang hired by the makers of the counterfelt, and who live in the East. The bill is of excellent workmanship.

Vargas was brought before United States Commissioner Williams yesterday afternoon, and his preliminary examination set for tomorrow. He was sent to jail in the meantime in default of $1500 bond. His companion, Haure, will be brought before the Commissioner today. At the hearing Vargas pretended that he could not speak English, and the services of an interpreter were engaged, but later he showed that he could speak the language well. He is about 30 years of age.

LOVE'S FLAME CONSUMING.

Brave Fireman Overcome by Warm Affections and Is to Marry Ninth-street Girl.

Capt. Arthur W. Domingues of Engine Company No. 8, in the Los Angeles fire department, since 1900, has fought and conquered many fires, but love's flame has downed him.

He is to be married on January 7 to Miss Lola T. Monreal of No. 906 West Ninth street. The marriage license was taken out yesterday, showing the age of the prospective groom to be 31 years and that of the prospective bride, 25.

Capt. Domingues has asked for a three-day leave of absence, starting on the date of his embarkation into the seas of matrimony.

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Legal Notice

NOTICE OF ANNUAL MEETING AND ELECTION OF DIRECTORS FOR THE ENSUING FISCAL YEAR.
LOS ANGELES INVESTMENT COMPANY.

TO THE STOCKHOLDERS OF LOS ANGELES INVESTMENT COMPANY:
YOU ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED that the annual meeting of the stockholders of Los Angeles Investment Company will be held at the general offices of the company in the Los Angeles Investment Company's Building, situate upon the northeast corner of Eighth and Broadway, in the City of Los Angeles, County of Los Angeles, State of California, on the 10th day of January, A. D. 1914, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of said day, for the purpose of electing seven (7) directors, to serve and constitute the Board of Directors for and during the ensuing fiscal year; and also for the purpose of transacting any and all other business that may properly come before said meeting. The transfer books will be closed on Wednesday, the 31st day of December, 1913, at five o'clock P. M., and will reopen at ten o'clock A. M. on Monday, the 12th day of January, 1914.

H. V. DAVIS,
Secretary.
By order of the Board of Directors.

ANNUAL STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING SECURITY TRUST & SAVINGS BANK.
The regular annual meeting of the Stockholders of the Security Trust & Savings Bank, Los Angeles, California, will be held at its principal place of business, Security Building, southeast corner of Fifth and Spring streets, at 3 o'clock p.m. on Thursday, January 8, 1914, for the election of directors and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before said meeting.
W. D. LONGYEAR, Secretary.
December 27, 1913.

Cemeteries.

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THE WEATHER.
[Official Report.]

LOCAL OFFICE, U. S. WEATHER BUREAU, Los Angeles, Dec. 29.—[Reported by Ford A. Carpenter, Local Forecaster.] At 5 o'clock a.m. the barometer registered 30.10; at 5 p.m., 30.15. Thermometer for the corresponding hours showed 49 deg. and 56 deg. Relative humidity, 5 a.m., 65 per cent.; 5 p.m., 77 per cent. Wind, 5 a.m., northeast, velocity 5 miles; 5 p.m., south, velocity 6 miles. Highest temperature, 59 deg.; lowest, 45 deg. Rainfall for season, 4.43 inches. Barometer reduced to sea level.

WEATHER CONDITIONS.—The western field of high pressure caused generally fair weather, with moderately low temperatures west of the Mississippi River. Freezing temperatures include all but the immediate Gulf of Mexico, the South Atlantic and the Pacific Coast lines. Precipitation was light in the past twenty-four hours, the greatest amount, .26 of an inch, falling at New Orleans. Another depression is off the Oregon-California coast and it is bringing cloudy weather and higher temperatures to the northern part of the State. The easterly drift of this depression will bring cloudy weather to Los Angeles and vicinity during the coming thirty-six hours; following a southerly extension of this area showers are possible Tuesday.

LOCAL FORECAST.
For Los Angeles and vicinity: Tuesday possibly showers. Westerly and southwesterly winds.
For California, south of the Tehachapi: Tuesday probably rain.

STATE FORECAST.
San Francisco and vicinity: Rain Tuesday; light south wind.
Sacramento and Santa Clara valleys: Rain Tuesday; light south wind.
San Joaquin Valley and Southern California: Rain Tuesday; light southwest wind.

ARIZONA FORECAST.
Arizona: Generally fair Tuesday and Wednesday.
YUMA (Ariz.) Dec. 29.—[Exclusive Dispatch from the U. S. Reclamation Service.] Gauge height Colorado River, 18.00 feet.

WHERE TO GO AND WHAT TO SEE
TODAY AND TONIGHT.

THEATERS.

Alhambra—Pictures ..... Noon to 10:30 p.m.
Apex—Pictures ..... Continuous
Auditorium—Gaby Deslys in "The Little Parisienne" ..... 2:35 and 8:15 p.m.
Burbank—"The Littlest Rebel" ..... 8:15 p.m.
Century ..... 7:45 and 9:15 p.m.
Crane's—Pictures ..... Continuous
Empress—Vaudeville ..... 2:15, 7:30 and 9:00 p.m.
Hippodrome—Vaudeville ..... 2:30, 6:30 and 8:45 p.m.
Majestic—Mabel Taliaferro in "Peaches" ..... 2:15 p.m.
Mason—Mrs. Fiske in "The High Road" ..... 8:15 p.m.
Military—Pictures ..... Continuous
Mozart—Pictures ..... 1 to 5, 7 to 11 p.m.
Orpheum—Vaudeville ..... 2:00 and 8:00 p.m.
Pantages—Vaudeville ..... 2:30, 7:10 and 9:00 p.m.
Republic—Vaudeville ..... 2:30, 7:10 and 9:00 p.m.
Tally's Broadway—Pictures ..... Continuous
Woodley—Pictures ..... Continuous

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"Gangway!"

NEW CITY HALL PLAN'S REBORN.

WORKING FORCES WANT MORE ROOM FOR DUTIES.

Departments Handicapped for Lack of Space—Suggestion Made to Lease Copp Building Next Door. Civic Center Association Plans Another Campaign.

Councilmen Betkouski and Conwell have been made a special committee by the City Council to secure more room for city officials, whose insistent appeal is for more office space if the public business is to be cared for in a business-like manner.

A special appeal for more room was made to the Council yesterday by Col. W. G. Schreiber, head of the Bureau of Street Assessments, who set forth in a detailed report the situation that causes his work to be delayed, and stated that there is no prospect of catching up with it if present conditions continue.

Other departments are clamoring for relief and an immediate leasing of more office quarters is imperative.

The committee has under consideration the leasing of the entire Copp building adjoining the City Hall annex on the north.

When this subject was discussed by the Council yesterday Councilman Langdon declared that the whole situation showed the imperative necessity for building a new City Hall as soon as possible. In this sentiment he was warmly supported by Councilman Snowden.

During the day it developed that the Civic Center Association has planned to revive its work toward securing a City Hall on the Temple block site and that in February it will present to the Council well-matured plans for carrying this project through. The plans are for a ten or twelve-story commercial building, to occupy the entire Temple block site.

The association holds its annual meeting at 9 o'clock this morning. It will arrange for a mass meeting to be held soon at which time a special effort to increase its membership to 1000 will be made and will then present its plans for the proposed City Hall to the Council and ask that they be adopted.

The general scheme of the association is to propose to give to the city such financial backing as may be needed in order to carry the plan through.

It will propose that the present City Hall be offered for sale at a minimum price of $600,000, and will guarantee to secure a purchaser for the property at this price. Then it will ask that an appropriation of from $150,000 to $200,000 be made to be added to the purchase money, this amount, it is said, being all that could be expended on the building for the first year; that the balance needed—estimated at from $150,000 to $200,000—be provided for in the next fiscal budget.

The Civic Center Association is a corporation and has as its officers M. H. Hellman, president; Arthur Letts, vice-president; O. M. Souden, treasurer, and Miles Gregory, secretary. Its executive board is composed of A. C. Billicke, R. A. Rowan, Marco R. Newmark, J. M. Schneider, Frank M. Coulter, C. Wesley Roberts and F. W. Blanchard.

The advisory board of fourteen members is composed of J. B. Lankershim, Stoddard Jess, J. C. Drake, Morris S. Hellman, F. W. Braun, Homer Laughlin, Jr., Gilbert Wright, W. H. Holliday, M. J. Monnette, Charles D. Blaney, William Garland, George Fusenot, M. H. Newkirk and Willard H. Stimson.

LYMAN'S SENTENCE DEFERRED.

His Attorney Asks Week to Prepare Motion for New Trial for Convicted Promoter.

The case of Dr. John Grant Lyman, the convicted promoter of the Panama Development Company, was not disposed of yesterday by Judge Wellborn in the United States District Court. His attorney, Paul W. Schenck, said he had not been able to prepare the motion for a new trial, and the sentencing of the defendant went over for a week.

Judge Wellborn, however, signed an order allowing Dr. Lyman to be taken out of jail to have his teeth fixed. This is to be done at his convenience, and the United States marshal will see to it that he is allowed a proper guard.

VITAL RECORD.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

The following marriage licenses were issued yesterday. Name and age given.

ARTH—SAUNDERS. Carl J., 30; Ruth Saunders, 28.
ASHCRAFT—REYNOLDS. Richard A., 24; Hattie Reynolds, 46.
BADLEY—BUSH. Bert R., 26; Edna M. Bush, 19.
BAILEY—FULLER. Wilbur H., 21; Ethel Fuller, 19.
BANES—KURTH. Franklin R., 24; Ruth A. Kurth, 22.
CHANCELLOR—PADWICK. Arthur N., 28; Daisy A. H. Padwick, 24.
CHOLVIN—FONTON. Louis J., 21; Ethel Fonton, 18.
CUNNING—BEARICK. John C., 24; Ethel I. Bearick, 20.
DELANO—WERMLE. Leo R., 21; Della I. Wehrle, 19.
DE MARTINI—GAMBA. James De Martini, 21; A. Gamba, 21.
DOMENIGONI—MONREAL. Arthur W., 25; Lola T. Monreal, 20.
DUVALL—MORGAN. Lewis L., 21; Ethel Morgan, 20.
EISENBERG—MESHINSKY. Simon Eisenberg, 24; Meshinsky, 21.
GANAHL—ROBERTS. Henry Ganahl, 30; Ruth Roberts, 22.
GREEN—ROBSON. Burton B., 21; Grace Robson, 21.
HARDEN—THATCHER. Hobson B., 23; Clara L. Thatcher, 19.
HERZOG—HARDGWITH. Hermanthus L., 30; Fannie Hahncombe, 32.
HOUDYSHEL—ORMER. Royal C., 21; Priscilla Ormer, 23.
KEHRLEIN—WYMAN. Fred K., 23; Ethel L. Wood, 22.
NORRIS—LANE. Norman S. Norris, 21; Rose Lane, 18.
PARKS—FRANCATELLE. Kenneth Parks, 19; Mabel Francatelle, 19.
SMITH—CURRIER. Henry Smith, 30; Ida Currier, 24.
SPRAGUE—CLARKE. Merrell F., 21; Louise E. Clarke, 18.
STEARNS—SHELEY. Lloyd M., 22; Ada A. Sheley, 22.
WICKSTROM—DENNINGER. Oscar V., 32; Katherine C. Denninger, 21.
WILLIS—MUELLER. Jonathan Willis, 23; Ida Mueller, 20.

BIRTHS.

Names not given, placed until date of birth.
BRENNEKE. At No. 1345 Third street, Pacific Heights, December 26, to Mr. and Mrs. Brenneke, a son.
BROOKS. Mr. and Mrs. Brooks, No. 1220 Princess street, December 26, a son.
BROWN. At No. 1229 Pasadena avenue, Pasadena, December 26, to Mr. and Mrs. William C. Brown, a son.
CARLSON. Mr. and Mrs. Arvid C. Carlson, 1078 Santee street, December 26, a son.
GARCIA. Mr. and Mrs. Rodrigo Garcia, 1 Commercial street, December 26, a son.
GREENBERG. Mr. and Mrs. Morris Greenberg, 1 Boyle Heights, December 25, a son.
HARROLD. Mr. and Mrs. Robert S. Harrold, 1075 Arroyo Seco avenue, December 26, a son.
KNY. Mr. and Mrs. James W. Kny, 1 Fourth street, December 19, a son.
LARSON. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Larson, 1 South Avenue 19, December 24, a son.
LOCKWOOD. Mr. and Mrs. Robert Lockwood, Jr., 1 Monterey road, December 26, a son.
MOTAY. Mr. and Mrs. William A. Motay, 1 Hospital Good Samaritan, December 26, a son.
MENDELL. Mr. and Mrs. Herbert R. Mendell, 1 Alturas street, December 26, a son.
MORIK. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Morik, 1 North Avenue 23, December 26, a son.
NORTON. Mr. and Mrs. Mark H. Norton, 1 Harvard street, December 15, a son.
PRINCE. Mr. and Mrs. Albert R. A. Prince, 1375 East Seventeenth street, December 26, a son.
RIEU. Mr. and Mrs. Fred Rieu, 1 Wall street, December 26, a son.
RUDD. Mr. and Mrs. Harry R. Rudd, 1 Pasadena, December 26, a son.
SAMUDA. Mr. and Mrs. Avando Samuda, 1 Avenue 20, December 26, a son.
SAWAYA. Mr. and Mrs. Salime Sawaya, 1 South Vermont avenue, December 19, a son.
SHEA. Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Shea, 1 Hospital, December 26, a son.
VALADEZ. Mr. and Mrs. Tranito Valadez, 1 Lemuel street, December 26, a son.
WEBER. Mr. and Mrs. John J. Weber, 1 East street, December 24, a son.

DIVORCE SUITS FILED.

BATES. Charles W. against Flora Bates.
BECKER. Henrietta A. against Walter L. Becker.
BROWN. Harriet against Harry.
CAMMACK. Laura against Harry B.
MOORE. Hilda W. against George C.

DIVORCE DECREES GRANTED.

DAVIS. M. G. from Ethel A.
REDINGTON. Ida P. from Richmond S.
TREBOTOLA. Minfed from Stefano.
WHINEY. Laura M. from Samuel.

OFFICIAL DEATH LIST.

Names and places of deaths.

AMY, Alfred, Los Angeles.....
BALL, Robert M., Los Angeles.....
BARNES, John F., Los Angeles.....
BARTLETT, Alanzo, Los Angeles.....
BERNARD, Joe, Los Angeles.....
BERRY, Harry L., Los Angeles.....
DONE, Samuel J., Los Angeles.....
HANEY, Marion E., Los Angeles.....
JOSOFO, Adell, Los Angeles.....
LEGGETT, Anna F., Los Angeles.....
MILLER, Elizabeth, Los Angeles.....
MITCHELL, John J., Los Angeles.....
NEASGARD, Boley, Los Angeles.....
NELSON, Matilda J., Los Angeles.....
NICHOLS, Mrs. Matilda J., Los Angeles.....
PITTS, Lee, Los Angeles.....
SCHROEDER, John, Los Angeles.....
SMITH, Ulsie, Los Angeles.....
THARP, W. F. C., Los Angeles.....
TIFFANY, Carrie E., Los Angeles.....
WALLACE, Mrs. Margaret, Los Angeles.....

DEATHS.

With Funeral Announcements.

AGENS. Died at her late residence, No. 1229 Thirty-sixth street, December 27, Mrs. Charles Agens.
Funeral at said address, Wednesday, December 31, at 2 p.m. Friends invited. Interment, East Orange, N. J.
AMY, Los Angeles, December 27, Alfred Amy, aged 27 years.
Funeral services will be held at 8 o'clock at Bonse Brothers, 653 South Figueroa, Tuesday at 10 o'clock.
BARNES. John F., aged 68 years.
Remains at the chapel of J. J. Jenkins, No. 1430 South Main.
FLAHERTY. At No. 1225 Bryan place, Echo Park, December 28, Chris A. Flaherty, aged 38.
Funeral from Sutch's chapel, No. 247 Fremont, at 2 p.m. Wednesday.
GARDNER. In this city, December 28, C. E. Gardner, aged 57.
Funeral today at 2:30 from parlors of A. Jones, No. 1126 South Flower.
HERR. December 29, 1913, M. M. Herr, aged 57 years, husband of Mrs. Herr is survived by a daughter, Josephine Frankhouse and a son, Mr. Harry Herr, both of Los Angeles.
Funeral will be held at 2 p.m. Wednesday from her late residence at No. 1217 Vista street. (Shenandoah, Ia., papers copy.)
KEEGAN. December 29, Frank J. Keegan, 40 years.
Remains at Bonse Brothers, 653 South Figueroa, until 10 o'clock Tuesday, when funeral services will be held.
KINNEY. In this city, December 28, 1913, L. Kinney, aged 41 years.
Remains at parlors of Smith & Hahn, No. 1147 South Flower street.
LANGDON. In this city, December 28, 1913, Jessie F. Langdon, aged 37 years.
Remains at Bonse Brothers, 653 South Figueroa street.
NELSON. At No. 1222 Third avenue, December 29, Matilda Anna Nelson, beloved wife of R. Nelson, aged 59 years.
Funeral from the English Lutheran Church, Eighth and Flower streets, today (Tuesday) at 2 p.m.
NICHOLS. At No. 929 West Washington street, December 29, Mrs. Matilda Jane Nichols, aged 44 years, mother of Lawrence E. Nichols, of Portland, Or., and Mrs. N. Nichols and devoted mother of Roland, Vera and Grace Nichols, and Harold Nichols of Fresno, Cal., and of San Diego, Cal., and Harold Nichols of Pasadena, Cal.
Funeral today at 10:30 a.m. from late residence, No. 929 West Washington street. Interment, Forest Lawn Cemetery. Bryan, funeral director.
OSWALD. Died December 28, at [illegible] pneumonia, J. H. Oswald, of the [illegible] Real Estate Company, aged [illegible].
Funeral from [illegible] South Main, Wednesday, December 31, at 2 p.m. Friends invited.
PERSKY. At No. 1262 Hobart boulevard, December 29, 1913, Dr. Samuel Persky.
Funeral services will be held at residence Wednesday at 2 o'clock.
PETERSON. At Long Beach, December 28, 1913, Peterson, aged [illegible] years.
Funeral from the chapel of Fisher Bros. today (Tuesday) at 2 p.m.
SCHROEDER. John Schroeder, passed away Monday morning, aged [illegible].
Funeral from residence, No. [illegible] Twelfth street, Wednesday at 2 o'clock. Friends invited.
THURSTON. At No. 1345 East Twenty-first street, December 28, Sally Thurston, aged 88 years.
Funeral from her residence, No. [illegible] Twenty-eighth street, Thursday at 2 p.m. W. M. Sutch, undertaker.
TIFFANY. At No. 158 North Avenue 18, Dr. Carrie E. Tiffany, aged [illegible] years, a native of New York, and a resident of Los Angeles for [illegible] years.
Funeral services at residence, No. [illegible] Avenue 26, Wednesday, December 31, at 2 p.m. Friends invited. Interment, Mount Olivet. Pierce Bros. (Inc.), morticians.
WALLACE. At No. 616 West Fifteenth street, December 28, Mrs. Margaret Wallace, 70 years, beloved mother of Miss Jessie Wallace and Mrs. Charles R. Miller of Los Angeles.
Funeral today at 2 p.m. from residence, No. 616 West Fifteenth street. Interment, Inglewood Cemetery. W. M. Sutch, funeral director.
WALLIS. Los Angeles, December 28, Mrs. Ella Wallis, aged 46 years.
Interment, Monrovia, Tuesday. Bonse Brothers Company.
YOUNG. Suddenly on Monday, December 29, 1913, Robert T., beloved husband of [illegible], aged 79 years.
Friends are invited to attend funeral services at his late residence, No. [illegible] place, Wednesday, December 31, [illegible] a.m.

CONTRACT FOR BRIDGE.

The Russell-Greene-Ford Company was awarded a contract for [illegible] building a bridge on the [illegible] by the Supervisors yesterday.

Pictorial Cream Sheet (II).

The Advancing City and Tributaries. — *California and the Coast—12 Pages*

The Los Angeles Times

XXXIIIRD YEAR. TUESDAY, DECEMBER 30, 1913.—EDITORIAL SECTION. POPULATION By the Federal Census (1910)—319,198 By the City Directory (1913)—532,431

Law, Not Sentiment.

NO "NOT-GUILTY" PLEA DECLARES THE JUDGE.

As Bandit Fariss Has Spoken So Must It Stand Says Court.

Train Robber and Slayer Tells Name of Sweetheart Who Got Part of the Hold-up Proceeds, and She's a Young Los Angeles Man's Bride—Her Mother Also Figures in Case.

RALPH FARISS, alias Boutick, gangster, tough, bandit, murderer, will not be allowed to change his plea of guilty to "not guilty" in his desperate and sobby efforts to escape the rope and justice. Judge Craig, who sentenced the cold-blooded slayer of H. E. Montague, declared last night at his residence that under no circumstances will he permit Fariss to withdraw his plea. Dist.-Atty. Fredericks will also vigorously resist any maudlin sentimental procedure along this line. There will be no loophole for a miscarriage of justice, say the authorities.

Judge Craig announced in clear-cut language that he will stand firm on this ground, not only because it is the law of the State, but because any other procedure would work an injustice upon the citizenry of California and a travesty on justice as well.

While Fariss will not have a chance to whine "not guilty" after making a free and full confession of his criminal career, there is a remote possibility that Judge Craig will set aside the sentence to give ex-Judge Wheaton A. Gray, counsel for Fariss, opportunity to plead for life imprisonment instead of the death penalty. It is understood that Deputy District Attorney Hammon, representing Capt. Fredericks, will not oppose this contemplated step. Ex-Judge Gray declared last night that he hadn't definitely decided how to proceed to bring about the desired end—not the rope's end—for Fariss. He admitted he had failed to discover any faulty technicalities in his hasty examination of the records. Learned criminal lawyers who have examined the information against the murderer, and the imposition of sentence by Judge Craig, assert they are errorless, and do not offer the slightest hope for counsel for Fariss to legally upset them. Capt. Fredericks, Deputy Hammon and Judge Craig also scrutinized the court records in the case to prepare themselves for any onslaughts that may be made by defendant's attorneys. The matter will come up before Judge Craig at 2 p.m. today.

The seasoned young criminal, who, two days ago, sneeringly told the court to "give me the limit" and brazenly smiled when the death sentence was imposed, has lost his dime-novel bravado. The big-fisted, bull-necked thug who fiendishly jammed revolvers against the temples of frail girls and women demanding in brutal language, "come across," is a craven, cringing creature, sending out tear-dimmed appeals to save him from the noose.

"SQUEALS" ON GIRL.

And yesterday he "squealed" on his 18-year-old sweetheart, apparently ignorant of the brutality of her lover, because, as Fariss put it, "I knew the police would find her sooner or later." The day after his arrest Fariss asserted in his haughtiest Nick Carter lingo that "you can quizz me to doomsday, but I'll never mention her name."

He told of his meetings with the young woman, who is the bride of Roy Statler, a youthful butcher of San Pedro, and of his intentions to make her his wife. She sued Statler for divorce November 3, charging desertion. He also told of the mother of the girl, Mrs. George-Ferguson-Devoe, who, it appears, for months posed as the sister of her own daughter. Most of the money Fariss collected in his hold-ups and robberies went to provide Lola with dainty lingerie and expensive gowns, he says. He declares she was absolutely innocent of his criminal record and "is the sweetest and best girl I ever knew."

Mrs. Statler, her mother and Tom

(Continued on Fifth Page.)

N. B. Blackstone Co.

Stock Reducing Sale Continues

Tomorrow night ends your opportunity to gather in some of the season's biggest and most attractive bargains. Take advantage of it!

Suits, Dresses, Coats, Wraps and Gowns Reduced 25% to 50%

All Furs 1-4 Off Including Fur Coats

Draperies Half Price

All odd lots and short lengths of imported and domestic Nets, Laces, Cretonnes, Sunfast, Tapestries, plain and fancy Silks and other drapery materials in lengths from 2½ to 5 yards. Hundreds of desirable pieces for curtains, hangings, portieres, etc., worth from 25c to $4.00 will be closed out at half regular prices.

$5.00 Modart Corsets $2.50

The only perfect front laced corset produced.

Broken lines, discontinued models, large and small sizes. If you come in time you may find your favorite model in the wanted size.

The following sizes only, 18, 19, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, Nos. 20 to 25. All are $5.00 values or better. Sale price $2.50.

Junior Suits, Coats and Dresses all 1-3 Less

Wool tailored suits, fancy suits, wool dresses, party frocks and dainty dance dresses; all the late winter styles, choicest materials, newest trimming ideas. Choice of the entire stock of these wearables for Juniors and children, 33 1-3 per cent Less than regular.

An Extra Offering

Junior Coats and Suits at $5.00

A dozen or two wool tailored suits formerly priced up to $15.00 and as many coats suitable for school or general utility wear, worth from $8.00 to $10.00. Choice of the two lines $5.00.

Sale of Sweaters

The lot comprises broken lines and sizes of the famous Marinette Sweaters.

AT $3.95 are $6.50 and $7.50 values; several weaves, mostly all white or with navy trimmings.

AT $6.95 are $12.50 and $13.50 qualities of all silk or silk and wool mixtures in lavender, pink, pearl gray, etc. Real bargains these sweaters.

318-320-322 South Broadway

"Woman in the Case" and Her Mother.

They traveled with the Bandit Fariss.

Mrs. Lola Statler, above, the eighteen-year-old bride of a young San Pedro butcher and formerly a Los Angeles schoolgirl, who left her hard-working husband to go to San Francisco with the bandit the night after he robbed the passengers on a Southern Pacific train and slew Traveling Passenger Agent H. A. Montague, and Mrs. George-Ferguson-Devoe, mother of the younger woman, who posed as her sister and went North on the same train. They arrived in this city Sunday afternoon. "I squealed on the girl, because I knew the police would find her sooner or later," said Fariss yesterday.

Eyes Open.

LOOKING INTO IMMIGRATION.

CHIEF OF INSPECTION SERVICE IN THE CITY.

Accompanied by Wife, Who Was "Acting Governor" of New Jersey for Six Hours—Praises Work of the Local Inspector and His Office Assistants.

Richard H. Taylor, chief of the Immigration Inspection Service, who is on a tour of inspection of the various districts, arrived in the city yesterday, and will be in this vicinity for the next two weeks. Accompanied by Mrs. Taylor, he has made a trip along the Canadian border and down the Pacific Coast, being joined at San Francisco some time ago by Commissioner Caminetti, who has since returned to Washington.

Taylor was connected with the immigration service for some years before the election of President Wilson, and last November he was placed in charge as a representative of the secret service and went with Wilson to Bermuda just before the latter's inauguration. A month after the inauguration he took as his wife Miss Ida B. Phillips of Trenton, who was secretary to the President when he was Governor of New Jersey.

Mrs. Taylor became prominent in 1911 on account of the fact that from midnight of December 31, 1910, until noon of January 1, 1911, she was recognized as being "acting Governor" of the State. The term of Gov. Fort expired at midnight, and Gov. Wilson did not assume the executive office until noon of New Year's day.

When Taylor was connected with the immigration service before his experience with President-elect Wilson, he was instrumental in having built for the duties of the local service the gasoline launch Elizabeth, named for his daughter, which was later wrecked in chasing Chinese smugglers at Coronado, below San Diego.

Faithful Servant.

LETTER CARRIER VICTIM TO DUTY.

DIES OF PNEUMONIA CAUGHT DELIVERING MAIL.

Soaked by Rain and Ill Before Christmas, Alhambra Man, Unwilling that Holiday Gifts Be Delayed, Makes His Rounds—Widow and Daughters Left.

There were letters and packages to deliver on the days preceding Christmas—the kind that men, women and children looked forward to with pleasure—and John E. Jones, carrier on Rural Free Delivery Route No. 8, out through Ramona Acres and around Alhambra, was paid to see that they got them.

When, rain-soaked, he returned home a few days before Christmas and showed symptoms of serious illness his wife and daughters counseled him to stay indoors and let a substitute try to get out the deliveries. Realizing what a day's delay might mean to the friends he had made in the month of his being there, he refused to take the advice.

And so the day after Christmas he had pneumonia of the bowels and yesterday afternoon they buried the body of the faithful mail carrier in Evergreen Cemetery, a martyr to duty.

Four daughters who range from 3 to 20 years of age are left with their mother to grieve the passing of the breadwinner.

READY TO PLEAD.

Frank Cartello, the young Mexican who attempted to rob the Eagle Rock Bank early Saturday morning, was arraigned before Justice Forbes yesterday. In default of bonds he was remanded to the County Jail. Officers say he is ready to plead guilty when the time comes, in the Superior Court.

Liberty Under Law.

WAY TO CURB RED MOUTHS.

Speaking Permits to Citizens and No Others.

Christmas Riot May Save the Plaza to the People.

New Ordinance Outlined to Stop Crime.

TO CURB ANARCHY.

Put the Plaza in the restricted district, against indiscriminate street speaking.

Issue free permits to speak at specified places, to responsible citizens of Los Angeles only.

Make holder of permit responsible for all utterances at his meetings.

Revoke the permit promptly upon proof of traitorous, blasphemous or other objectionable utterances.

Councilman Betkouski said last night that he will stand for each and every of these propositions, and will probably ask for the drafting of a new ordinance today.

The greatest interest is at this moment felt in the street-haranguing situation by all persons who have had any experience or who have given any thought to the subject in general. The Christmas riot at the Plaza and the disposition of the loafing and disorderly element hanging about the city, to defy the authority of the police at other times, has been the subject of much discussion. At such times there are usually a few soft-hearted, short-sighted and possibly selfish people, who are supposed to stand for law and order and the better citizenship, who step out to plead the cause of the "oppressed," that they may have more "liberty" of jaw, which speedily becomes license. It was so when the present restricted district was adopted for street speaking, but the City Council was wiser than "the people of light," and cut the area to the closest limits. Results have proven, however, that it would have been better if the Plaza had been kept within the restricted district, as a place of recreation for peaceable folk, as the other city parks are.

T. C. Horton, superintendent of the Los Angeles Bible Institute, who has had wise experience in street work, and under whom William Mullen, the man who has tamed the wild-eyed bunch on Los Angeles street, is working, thinks the time has come for action, further restricting the opportunity for lawless people to make trouble for the police.

TO CALL FOR ORDINANCE.

Councilman Betkouski is in thorough sympathy with this idea, and will probably today introduce a resolution calling for an ordinance along the lines suggested by Horton.

"I think this is the time and the people are ready," said Horton yesterday, "for the passage of a safe and sane ordinance to control public speaking on the streets. The present one is too lax, and if it was not for the manliness and bravery of William Mullen we would have the same sort of riots on Los Angeles street as that which occurred at the Plaza on Christmas. He has won respect for himself and for the laws by his remarkable work as a street preacher, but there are few men who could do it.

"I would advocate the passage of a new ordinance now, while the people are awake to the danger of permitting anarchistic teachings that inflame ignorant and excitable Mexicans and irresponsible foreigners of other nationalities, and give excuse to the criminal loafers and trouble-makers to attack the police. To my mind, the new ordinance should embody the following provisions:

THE PROVISIONS.

"Continue the present restricted district, except the Plaza. This is as much a place of recreation for the neighborhood as any of our parks are for other neighborhoods, and should be protected.

"Assign specific places for public speaking, in order that there may be no conflict between speakers.

"These places should be at least 100 feet apart, and I would say even much farther apart, except that the district is limited.

"Issue permits through the Police Commission for each specified place, without charge, to responsible citizens of Los Angeles only.

"Hold each person having a permit responsible for the utterances of speakers at his meetings.

"Revoke the permit promptly upon proof of traitorous, blasphemous or other objectionable utterances."

Turning to the general subject of work for the unemployed and the control of the criminal class, Horton said:

"My experience teaches me that most of these fellows who make the big noise about the unemployed wouldn't work under any circumstances, and the way to find the deserving is to have every man and woman who is out of work and wants to work, register name and address at the Municipal Labor Bureau. When this is done, you will find the number of unemployed greatly decreased. For the others, there should be a city rockpile or some other sort of enforced employment, and they would soon disappear from Los Angeles.

"Another thing is, that there is a too lax execution of the general laws—too many men placed on probation through the maudlin sentiment of women. I am in favor of probation for young first-offenders, but when it comes to criminals, I am not, and I am fearful that on our long list of probationers in this county there are

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LIKELY TO BE SET FREE.

Believed That Slayer of Dan de Villiers Will Be Discharged by Court Today.

When Roy L. Glover is given his preliminary examination in the University Police Court tomorrow, it is the general belief of the court attaches that he will be set free. An erotic love poem found among the effects of Dan de Villiers, the man shot by Glover, indicates what was his trend of mind.

Besides this, there is evidence to show De Villiers had threatened to kill his divorced wife if she remarried. Even the detectives expect the defendant will be discharged on the ground of self-defense.

Opportunity.

GETS A CHANCE TO MAKE GOOD.

OFFICER HE ESCAPES FROM TO GO AFTER KNAPP.

Sheriff Permits Derated Deputy to Redeem Himself—"He'll Never Get Away from Me Again," Latter Promises—Deceiving Prisoner to Be Take to San Quentin.

Sheriff Hammel is going to give former Deputy Sheriff George Keim a chance to "make good."

Keim is going to Omaha to get Lloyd E. Knapp, who was sentenced from one of the local courts to San Quentin for alleged forgery and escaped from the officer while in a San Francisco hotel, where Knapp asked permission to telephone to his wife.

The officer made a frenzied search for his man, who had given his word not to try to escape if the handcuffs were taken off. Since then Keim, who was relieved of his duties, has become but a shadow of his former self. He has constantly worried over his one slip-up. He never criticized the Sheriff for his discharge, but when he heard that Knapp was caught he begged for a chance to redeem himself.

"That man will never get away from me even if I am not feeling well," he told Hammel yesterday.

"George I am going to let you go after him to show that I regard you as a faithful fellow even if you did lose your prisoner before," said the Sheriff.

Keim turned away with trembling lips. The other deputies were greatly affected by the little scene which took place in the office.

Knapp is considered a slippery fellow. He made a dramatic plea for freedom, but the evidence of the District Attorney's office was overwhelming.

After he was sentenced his wife followed him and it is assumed secretly furnished him money with which to escape. He asserted he forged to support her. It was after his arrest that she fell heir to a considerable fortune.

The best attorneys were retained to defend the young man, but in spite of all their efforts he was found guilty.

It is presumed that his wife joined him in Omaha and that he has been living under an assumed name.

When Keim brings his prisoner back to Los Angeles it will not surprise the rest of the force if the Sheriff pins his old star on him again, for Keim was considered one of the best officers ever employed by Hammel.

Cloven.

BARES HOOF OF LABORITE CABAL.

Unions Urge Strike to Add to the "Unemployed."

Painters Vote to Walk Out; Highly-Paid Men.

Will Try to Disaffect All the Building Trades.

While the labor unionites and I. W. W.'s are howling about the alleged number of unemployed in this city the unions are doing their best to bring about a condition which will result in more idle.

The Painters' Union has voted to strike for higher wages, though they earn $3 to $5 a day at the present time. The leaders of the union were instructed to talk with the bosses of the Building Trades Council with a view of getting the support of its members.

This policy of the unionites is secretly encouraged by international leaders, who wish it to appear that Los Angeles is filled with unemployed through the boosting of the Chamber of Commerce and other organizations loyal to the interests of the community.

No date has been set for the contemplated strike, but it is supposed that the union painters are eager to get a little of the $1000 a month voted by the American Federation of Labor for making this a "closed" union city.

The laborites, in addition to planning to turn several hundred more unemployed on the city, are spreading broadcast their closed-shop literature.

At the Labor Temple a crew of girls are going through the directory, picking out the names of mechanics. Union labor literature will be sent to the mechanics with the object of making them interested in the unions.

All the plans are directed towards a general campaign which begins in the spring, and the idea of starting strikes within the next few weeks seems to be for the sole purpose of adding to the unemployed so as to create a stronger impression upon the City Council.

Inasmuch as impartial experts have figured that there are not more than 5000 deserving unemployed in the entire city and its environs, the labor unions will have a hard task in convincing the city and county authorities that money should be given out in almost unlimited quantities, unless some of the "devoted" unionites quit work and draw strike benefits from the international unions, as was promised at the recent meeting in Seattle.

NOTICES IN THE EAST.

Campaign in This City Against Fake Advertising Attracts Attention of Trade Journals.

The campaign instituted by the Merchants' and Manufacturers' Association against fraudulent advertising has attracted much attention in the East. Many trade journals have quoted freely from articles appearing in The Times, on the injury done to a business community by unscrupulous persons who misrepresent goods and do an injustice to the reputable merchants.

Among the papers quoting from The Times is the Musical Age, which refers to the work of the Merchants' and Manufacturers' Association under the direction of Secretary Zachandelaar.

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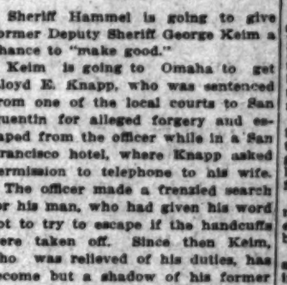

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Ramblings.

STILL TALKING ABOUT PARADE.

FIRE-EATERS STIR UP MOB TO FURTHER DEEDS.

Advocate United Parade to Overawe City and State—Show of Strength Being Planned by Discontents—Leaders Lacking at Plaza, Say the Jawsmiths.

The proposed "monster parade" of the I.W.W., Socialists, unionites, discontents, and the unemployed was given further consideration at a meeting last night at Labor Temple. The agitators were unable to agree on a plan.

Job Harriman and other speakers of the fire-eating class advocated a demonstration to alarm and coerce the city and State administrations into making concessions to the idle classes. The more cautious expressed the fear that a monster demonstration in Los Angeles might result in a repetition of the riots and bloodshed experienced at the Plaza on Christmas Day.

As a compromise a committee, of which Harriman is the chairman, was appointed to notify the Socialist party, I.W.W.'s and various labor organizations to send delegates to a meeting at the Labor Temple next Monday night, when the question of holding the parade will be settled.

Harriman suggested that parades be held on the same day in Los Angeles, San Francisco and San Diego, to be followed by a demand upon the Legislature for an appropriation to give work to the unemployed.

"If we accomplish anything we must make a show of strength," Harriman said. "If thousands of determined men would march through the streets of the three principal cities of California on the same day it would make an impression that would get results. We must have organization, concerted action and numbers.

"The men who met at the Plaza and caused the riot lacked leaders. Most of them were Mexicans. There were not enough of them to make a showing and to stand against the opposition. If we have a great parade that is properly organized there will be no rioting. If the men show that they are powerful and determined there will be no trouble.

"There is strength in union. It is the unorganized who are weak. The men who are afraid are those who are unorganized, and have no one to uphold them."

Harriman told what he is doing for the "boys" who were arrested at the riot in the Plaza.

"Forty-four of our boys are in jail charged with taking part in the disturbance on Christmas Day," he continued. "They are without friends. We can't find anyone who has the courage to come forward and say on the witness stand that they were at the Plaza, and tell the truth about the happenings there.

"A man sneaked into my office and said that he was there and knew the truth, but that he would not testify in court. He is a coward and a weakling. We need men with courage in such times as these."

A speaker made the suggestion that a vigilance committee be organized to attend all public meetings and to watch what happened and be ready to testify in court for their "comrades."

A committee was appointed to secure a large attendance at the funeral of the "comrade" killed in the Plaza riot. The funeral will be held on New Year's Day, at a time and place to be announced later by the committee.

Personal dissensions arose between leaders of the various factions at the meeting. After several speakers had been hissed by opponents and it appeared that the chairman would lose control of the meeting, Harriman, the great pacificator, took the floor and raised a warning hand.

"Boys," he pleaded, "this is no time for hot words. We have a great work to do and let us be at it. There is nothing that will make you forget your differences quicker than for you to unite in a great common cause. Let your differences go until after we have won the great fight now on hand."

At the Bar.

RIOTERS HERDED BACK TO CELLS.

PLEAD NOT GUILTY UNDER JOB HARRIMAN'S DIRECTION.

Trial to Be Held Late in January, With Nearly Month in Jail in Prospect—Bail Fixed, but None Has So Far Been Furnished—Policeman Threatened?

Yesterday was I.W.W. and anarchist day in the police court. Forty-three of the leaders and participants in the Christmas Day riots in the Plaza were arraigned before Judge White.

Job Harriman, attorney for the defendants, entered a general plea of not guilty for them, save two who were separately represented. The date of trial was fixed for January 21 at 9 a.m. in Department Four. The bail was fixed at $500 for all save five, whose bail was fixed at $2000 each. These are the supposed ringleaders, named as follows: Peter Castorana, A. M. Ojeda, Juan Sanchez, Pedro Coria and Cesario Andrade.

Before the motley gang of Mexicans, Italians and Americans were brought before the bar, Silvio Luti, a youthful Italian, arrested Sunday night for giving an anarchistic speech at the Plaza, was called up.

He was charged with saying, in a speech before about 300 Mexicans in the Plaza Sunday afternoon: "We must find out the policeman who killed our brother, Rafael Aldames, and kill and maim him and others if we have to. We must revolt."

Attorney Antonio Orfila asked that time be given before a plea be entered for Luti and Wednesday morning, January 21, was set by Judge White.

Jim Daly had separate counsel in the person of G. Ray Horton, who made a motion for separate trial, which was denied. A time will be set when this motion for Daly and for all the others will be formally argued before Judge White. This will take place some time before the trials. Assistant Prosecuting Attorney D. R. Gardner will prosecute the cases.

To Curb Anarchy.

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many who deserve the punishment contemplated by the laws.

"I felt a great interest in the desparado Parisa, until I saw his long criminal record in the papers this morning, and then I changed my opinion as to the duty of law-abiding citizens. Punishment for crime is biblical, and there should not be too much interference with the course of the law. I am not opposed to capital punishment, and the agitation against it increases the danger from criminal classes."

Supervisors' Answer.

WORK FOR TWO HUNDRED NEEDY

COUNTY TO CARE FOR MANY IN REAL UNEMPLOYMENT.

Topango Canyon to Furnish Jobs for Married Citizens Who Are in Earnest, Not for Loafers Ranting in I.W.W. Halls About Their "Rights"—No Tramps Need Apply.

The Board of Supervisors will within a week or so provide work in Topango Canyon for 200 married men who are citizens. They will be paid $2.50 a day, less the actual cost of feeding them and providing shelter.

This action was suggested by Chairman Pridham, who said he felt great sympathy with persons out of employment who deserve work. But he declared the money of the county would not be used for supporting tramps and the class of men who wander out to the Coast each winter expecting to be supported by the community.

The investigation of the experts as reported to the Supervisors did not give any exact estimate of the men out of work, but stated that the number has been vastly overestimated and that many of the so-called "unemployed" are tramps or others who have come here for some overt purpose.

The entire trend of the talk of the Supervisors yesterday was that the county will do all it can to relieve a temporary distress of genuine citizens, but that it does not propose to hand out money to yeggmen and I.W.W.s who have been pouring in here in accordance with a preconceived plan.

The plan suggested by Chairman Pridham will provide hard work, which will be very distasteful to loafers who wish an appropriation to be made from which they can draw money at leisure.

Shovel and Hoe.

LOT OF CLEANERS TO CLEAR LOTS.

BOARD OF WORKS ACTIVE TO OBTAIN RESULTS.

Committee Volunteers to Organize Campaign to Give Bread to the Unemployed—Only City Officials to Handle Funds of Public Subscriptions.

Good progress is made on the movement to give work to the worthy unemployed in cleaning up vacant lots. Private aid and official municipal recognition were given the movement yesterday.

A committee of men who have agreed to give their time to establishing the work labored all day yesterday in preparing plans and putting affairs in shape at the offices opened in the Higgins block.

The Board of Public Works decided that it will co-operate in every practicable manner to the movement, and that it will show its official approval by superintending the work and using men from the street department to collect the funds, after the pledges of support are secured.

The board adopted the following, which was introduced by Commissioner O'Brien:

"Be it resolved, by the Board of Public Works of the City of Los Angeles, Cal., That a Bureau of the Department of Public Works of the said city of Los Angeles, designated 'Lot Cleaning Bureau,' is hereby established; that this board will give employment to all persons that can be favorably recommended to the Board of Public Works for employment in the said bureau, in so far as funds which are furnished for the maintenance of such bureau will permit; such funds to be furnished by private subscription, and otherwise; and, further, that a recommendation be made to the general public of the city of Los Angeles that the above movement be supported."

The Mayor is president of the new bureau; President Handley of the board is vice-president, and Herbert Burdett, executive officer.

The bureau has opened administrative offices at No. 329 Higgins building. An advisory council of thirty to fifty members will be appointed soon. An office where applicants for work may register will be opened within a few days.

The bureau will appeal to the owners of vacant lots to pay a reasonable amount to have their property cleaned of rubbish and the weeds destroyed. A number of property owners had communicated with Burdett last night and had offered to pay to have their lots cleaned.

"We hope to obtain a hearty public response to our plan," Burdett said last night. "The bureau cannot make a success of its work unless property owners become enthused and offer to pay for the services of our men. The bureau has no fund out of which to pay the men for their labor.

"The bureau will limit its labor to the territory within a radius of two miles from Seventh and Main streets. This section will be mapped into districts. We hope to be able to start a limited number of men to work on New Year's day. We will give employment only to the heads of families who are unable to do heavy work. The stronger men who are deserving of assistance will be given employemnt in the city parks and on the roads.

"Our purpose is to not stop with cleaning the rubbish from vacant lots but to spade up the ground so as to destroy this season's crop of weeds now beginning to grow and to plant vegetables which will be sold to poor families at low prices, the money to revert to the bureau's fund. According to our plans we could have radishes, lettuce and the earlier vegetables ready for market within six weeks.

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WRIST-SLAPPERS FOR POLICEMEN?

SHOULD HAVE SHAKEN FINGER AT THE RIOTERS.

Councilman Wheeler Brings Out the Socialist Ideal of a Guardian of Public Safety—Boarding School Misses With Pink Hair Ribbons to Handle the Brawlers.

Socialist Councilman Wheeler favors kid gloves and boarding-school manners for policemen—Councilman Snowden does not. This divergency of opinion made itself apparent yesterday at the final hearing in the committee's investigation into the causes of the Plaza riot. The findings of the committee will be submitted to the Council within two or three days, according to Snowden, who is chairman of the committee.

"If they (those gathered in the Plaza) had been mildly told to get out, don't you think they would have done so?" demanded Wheeler of the first witness. The same question, with variations, was put by Wheeler to every witness, nearly all of whom were of his own choosing.

"I neither believe the stories of brutality or combativeness on the part of the police, nor do I believe that the crowd was there for anything else than a fight," said Snowden at the close of the hearing. "Most of them hate a blue suit like a bull does a red rag, and welcomed the police interruption. It is all right to talk about your kid-glove handling and soft-voiced police, but when a soldier or a policeman sees his duty he doesn't say, 'Beg your pardon,' but wades in as though he meant business. If they didn't what would be the use of having police?"

Strikingly similar was the testimony of the hand-picked witnesses that Wheeler offered. More striking were the discrepancies in "positive-pass" into which most of them were lured on cross-examination.

Mrs. Starkweather, No. 336½ South Grand avenue, was positive that brutality on the part of the police was responsible for the trouble, and that the speeches were not seditious. But she admitted that she knows no Spanish, and, most significant of all, that she intended to say "a word" herself if she had a chance. W. E. Carpenter, No. 929 North Harvard boulevard, saw the ad in "the paper" (the Record) and went to the meeting.

"Was it inflammatory?" said Wheeler.

"Some might think so, but I didn't," Carpenter replied.

Though he said he knew some Spanish, Carpenter, on cross-examination by Councilman Bryant, was not able to furnish any idea of the gist of the speeches.

John Ludwig, No. 546½ South Spring street; C. W. Sanders of Pasadena, a car builder by trade, and G. F. Haines, No. 621 West Twenty-sixth street, were all sure that the speeches were mild, though none of them knew enough Spanish to catch the drift of remarks. Haines stated, however, that the one English speaker aroused but little enthusiasm, but that the "Spanish man" stirred things up.

"When the police showed up this Spanish man threw back his coat and bared his breast as if in challenge," said Haines.

Haines further stated that 80 per cent of the crowd were Mexicans. Philo Cook, No. 225 South Grand avenue, didn't see so many Mexicans, but admitted that when he saw the advertisements in "the paper" he thought it a good chance to put out "some printed matter," but that he "didn't see any sense in handing out English printed matter to Spanish-speaking people." Cook also confessed to "no Spanish," though he made an attempt through his knowledge of Latin to argue that it was "unemployed talk."

It was in all respects Wheeler's inning at the hearing. He prepared the preliminary witness list and William Francis Ireland assisted in rounding up enough others from the audience to drag out the hearing to two full hours. That the witnesses were handpicked in the largest sense was obvious from the fact that Wheeler was careful that none of his "disinterested witnesses" were members of the I.W.W., and further saw to it that direct questions brought out that fact.

BULL FIGHTS STILL DRAW.

"The bull fights are still the most interesting things in Mexico, and they still draw crowds," said General Superintendent Jones of the southwestern division of Wells Fargo & Co., yesterday, on his return from the southern republic, where he spent two months investigating political conditions in their relation to the express business. Jones is vice-president of Wells Fargo & Co., of Mexico, in addition to being head of the southwestern division of the parent company.

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CO-OPERATION MEANS SUCCESS.

It is the privilege and should be the aim and business of every stockholder in our company to work to strengthen, build up and help restore confidence, and in no way can this be better accomplished than by eliminating all differences and litigation, thus conserving our revenue, restoring public confidence and securing the co-operation of the public at large. The reputation of our city, as well as the State, is at stake, and to this end, the Los Angeles Investment Company's Stockholders' Committee asks the earnest co-operation of all our stockholders, as well as every property owner of our city.

It is the judgment of this committee that never before in the history of this city has the necessity been greater for strong, conscientious, concerted action on the part of everyone, than at this time, when the present financial crisis in this company, either directly or indirectly, affects the whole of Los Angeles.

Sign your proxy the same as your name appears on your stock certificate or receipts, and if you do not want a receiver appointed, and are in favor of the election of the present officers and directors, send it at once to Virginia M. Clopton, No. 648 St. Paul avenue, Los Angeles. Even if you expect to be present at the annual meeting, it would be best to send in the proxy at once. This proxy may be cancelled at any time you desire, and remember, there will be no costs attached if you sign our proxy card. If more convenient, leave your proxy card at the information desk at the company's main-floor office.

Respectfully submitted,
[Signed] Stockholders' Committee.
VIRGINIA M. CLOPTON,
REV. C. V. COWAN,
CLIFFORD A. FULLER,
A. J. STAMM
H. W. SCHILLINGER,
Chairman.

L. A. Investment.

STOCKHOLDERS SIGN PROXIES.

SOME OF THEM GETTING READY FOR ELECTION.

Large Meeting Held Last Night—A Negative Vote Creates Excitement. Committee Appointed to Select Nominees for Director—Another Meeting Friday Night.

A meeting of stockholders of the Los Angeles Investment Company was held last night in Symphony Hall for the main purpose of having those present sign proxies to be voted at the election on January 10, and to take a collection to help defray expenses of the protective association, which has been formed and opened offices at No. 704 Story building.

W. M. Swanson presided at the meeting, and speeches were made by Minor Moore and Thomas Ball, attneys for the association, who went into the details of the litigation and the correspondence touching the appointment of the present directors of the corporation, all of which has been told in the newspapers.

W. Ona Morton also made a speech and produced the only excitement of the evening. He presented a proposition concerning the old directors in this way:

"By resigning they confessed themselves incapable of handling the affairs of the company, or if they were capable and failed, they must have been dishonest. They were either incapable or dishonest, weren't they?"

"No," yelled a man sitting in the audience.

The hall was packed, and from every quarter came yells of "yes," "put him out," "where is he?"

To the consternation of some of the would-be bouncers, the man stood up and folded his arms, but nobody tried to put him out. He said after the meeting that he was from Pomona, and that he just felt like saying what he thought.

Another meeting will be held on Friday evening in Blanchard Hall, to be addressed by F. W. Allender and others. The following committee was appointed to report at this meeting the names of one or more stockholders upon whom to concentrate the vote at the election for directors: W. M. Swanson, U. S. Frye, C. P. Rogers, Thomas Ball and H. W. Bowman.

The speakers united in expressing the utmost confidence in the integrity of the new directorate now handling the affairs of the corporation, but filed objections to the manner in which they were selected. The advice given last night was that the small stockholders, of whom there are 18,000, concentrate their votes on one, or at most two men, in order to be sure of securing representation on the board, along with the men they assert have been placed there only by the big stockholders. As it will be impossible—and would be impracticable if possible—to secure a hall that will hold the 18,000 stockholders, the signing of proxies was urged as a most important feature in the success of the election, from their standpoint. Many were signed last night and the work will be carried on for the next ten days.

ARGUMENTS SUBMITTED.

Suit of Discontented Stockholders of Investment Company Vigorously Opposed.

Demurrers to the amended complaint of Warren L. Witham and thirty-three stockholders of the Los Angeles Investment Company asking for the cancellation of approximately 1,000,000 shares of the corporation stock alleged to have been fraudulently issued to the old board of directors, for the recovery of of $1,102,604.08, alleged to have been fraudulently received by the old board in the form of dividends; and for an accounting by the former directors, were argued before Superior Judge Wellborn yesterday and submitted. Judge Wellborn stated he would before making a decision, name a day on which to hear further argument if necessary.

Former Judge Bordwell and Attorney Tuller, representing the persent directorate and the Los Angels Investment Company, attacked the complaint on the gounds that it did not state a cause of action and that there is a misjoiner of several alleged causes of action which cannot properly be joined in the complaint.

They stated that the plaintiffs had failed to show that the new directors would not act for the best interests of the corporation as to the cancellation of stock as charged by Attorney Ball for the plaintiffs. Furthermore, the complaint did not show the plaintiffs were stockholders at the time the acts complained of were alleged to have been committed.

Demurrers were filed by the corporation, the former directors, represented by Attorney Spencer, and the present board.

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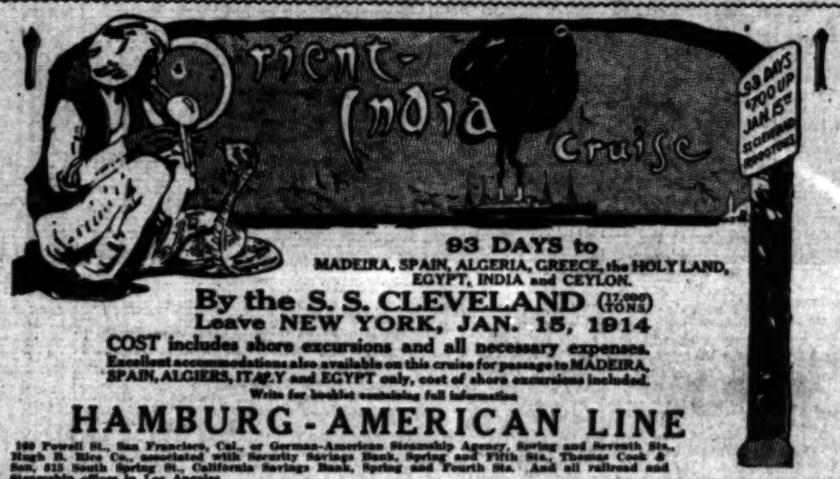

LAURA JEAN LIBBEY TALKS HEART TOPICS.

"If All He Said Were True"—The Wife Who Cannot Trust Him.

"Trust not a man; they are by nature
false,
Dissembling, subtle, cruel and inconstant,
When a man talks of love, with caution trust him,
But if he swears, he'll certainly deceive thee."

The extravagant promises of a lover raise his sweetheart's hopes to the highest pinnacle of happiness. If he carries them out faithfully all is well. If not, her hopes have such a long way to fall that they are shattered beyond all possibility of putting them together so securely that they will hold confidence again.

The lover who hates a fuss and would sail a calm sea in his courting days is ready to promise anything which his sweetheart desires. He avoids all controversies. He doesn't mind if the truth is stretched a little so long as contentment reigns. If she plans with him to have an extended wedding trip he declares that nothing would suit him better, it will be just as she says. He knows full well while making this promise that his bridal trip will be of but a week's duration. Even if he were to make up his mind to go longer his firm could not spare him over a week, and his pocketbook would have much to say forbidding it, as well.

He tells her glowing tales of the wealth which is to come to him through an aged uncle whose only heir he is. When this wealth is his, he declares, she shall have her own home and servants. He hints at an automobile, knowing full well that the aforesaid uncle was of such a taciturn disposition that he stood ten chances of losing the fortune to one of getting it. He tells her that he believes it is the duty of a son-in-law to bring his wife's family home and to do for them. He says that the husband should give the wife the pocketbook. After marriage the young woman who has relied upon what he said discovers that what he said was one thing and what he does quite another.

A wife can forgive almost anything in a husband save deceit. When it once dawns upon her that he has no qualms of conscience in promising anything and fulfilling nothing, mistrust of him steps in and swiftly elbows peace and love out of the way. Even when he does tell her the truth she is not sure whether she should believe him or not. Her heart is in continuous ferment. If he says a very stylish woman looks like a dowdy, declaring that his wife looks a thousand times handsomer in her last year's clothes, she fears to put confidence in his remark, surmising that his real motive is getting out of buying her a winter suit.

There are men who cannot break themselves of saying one thing and meaning another. If he came out in the first place and told the bald truth, a woman would respect him more. There could be happiness with the most of women if the man they loved but took them the right way. All wives want to feel that they can trust the men to whom they have devoted their lives. The habit of evading the truth clings to a man? If she asks him to come home to dinner at 6 prompt, explaining that she is to have company, to dodge a discussion he responds, "I'll be here on the minute. You won't have to keep the guests waiting for me. I'll bring home a bunch of roses for the table, and some candy."

The wife who cannot trust him smiles wearily and sighs, murmuring wistfully, "If all he said were true. He will forget by the time he turns the first corner. I know better, by sad experience, than to wait for him to put in an appearance." She is usually right. The guests have come and gone without seeing him. One excuse is the same or another to her. Even his children soon discover that father is not to be depended on.

What would such a man do if his wife's word could not be depended on, or if his children befooled him upon each and every occasion? There is only one way to make for happiness and that is to be loved and trusted in the bosom of one's own family.

This rests with the man, as well as the woman. If one sows discord there it will reap an abundant harvest. Every man should tell the truth, the whole truth and nothing but the truth to the woman he intends to marry. There should always be love and faith in every home. Without these affection will soon tarnish.

LAURA JEAN LIBBEY.

EQUAL CHANCE FOR ALL.

Applications for Land in Yuma Reclamation Project Territory Will not Be Considered Now.

Information has been received by the field division of the Land Office that applications for desert land within the territory known as the Yuma reclamation project, in Imperial county, will not be considered by the government at present, and that such applications will not be treated as preference claims by the Interior Department.

It has recently been brought to the attention of the land officials here that professional locaters have been inducing persons to make applications for the land, in the hope that these applications would receive preferential consideration later on. It is now announced that when the Interior Department finally throws the territory open to settlement, everybody will be given an equal chance.

LET GO HOME, DISAPPEARS.

Youth Accused of Many Felonies Takes Advantage of Court's Christmas-Day Leniency.

On the day before Christmas Judge Taft of the Juvenile Court allowed Frank Recob, accused of committing a dozen or more felonies, to go home with his mother. He has not been found since then. Deputy District-Attorney Shannon has been informed that the young man is on his way to British Columbia.

According to detectives, Recob, although under age, is not only a hold-up man, but a burglar, and is wanted in San Francisco on suspicion of assisting in several crimes.

When placed under arrest by Detective Boyd, it is alleged he tried to draw his revolver. The young fellow, according to the District Attorney's office, is one of the most desperate criminals of his age ever arrested in the city.

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WELL, LET HIM GO.

A Kansas farmer enclosed $46 and a deed to an 80-acre farm to his wife and disappeared. That was wrong, but it was better than to disappear taking the $46 with him and deeding the farm to another woman.

THE GOOD OF IT.

New Year is a necessary institution on account of the resolutions men make and do not keep. While making these high resolves they are mindful of their sins and are very penitent. When they break them they are humbled by the confession of weakness. Penitence and humility are virtues that people might forget they possessed were it not for this annual reminder.

A DIFFERENCE.

I.W.W. members feel in honor or rather in dishonor bound to destroy at least $5 worth of property every day. It is never their property, however, which they destroy. What they have is good, but what anyone else has is subject to confiscation. As social brigands and public highwaymen they would be dangerous if their brains could conceive of anything larger than $5, but they are of a caliber that makes this sum the apogee of opulence.

THE RIOTOUS SAPPHO.

Society women at Memphis whispered and giggled as Olga Nethersole proceeded to make violent love in the role of Sappho. The actress turned and hissed her noisy audience and precipitated a near-riot. Audiences are often astonishingly ill-behaved and inconsiderate. Persons who wish to gossip or lecture during theater hours should stay at home. Some of them should be provided with soap-boxes and street corners. At the same time we have no doubt that when Miss Nethersole turns loose as Sappho there is some naked warmth to the performance. Perhaps some lady tittered only to conceal her embarrassment. Art can be exceedingly natural on occasion.

WHAT IS AND IS NOT.

Every day all of us waste too much time and force on the things that are not. A philosophy which would accept conditions and ignore absences and negatives would get somewhere. If a thing is, let us rejoice, but let us abstain from wallowing in weeps over what is not. The most disagreeable fact loses half its sting when we forget its alternative. Neither should men forever chide themselves about doing the wrong thing. The fact is that most of our conduct is right for us or we would do something else. We are always doing the only thing possible for us and then spoiling it all by scolding ourselves for not having done the other thing.

BEING GOOD.

The world is full of two kinds of people. One-half of them would make good if they only had a chance, while the other half have their chance and throw it away. The man who needs a good job with the opportunity of going higher says that if he had it he would not smoke, drink, stay out nights or dissipate his energy in any way that would interfere with the highest service and fitness. The fellow with the responsible position often works overtime in the endeavor to unfit himself for any excellence. Perhaps he should not be discouraged, for if he devoted himself to his best endeavor the fellow who wants a chance would never get it. No vacancies would be created. The good men would be so good that they would never lose out. Nevertheless, it behooves those who feel comfortably placed to watch themselves closely that they be not too prodigal with strength and time, lest some who are less talented and more in earnest should succeed them. It is too bad if only the invalid can appreciate health and only the man who is broke understands how to meet good fortune. It turns things upside down too much. It is like saying that only the miserable know what happiness is, because they haven't it.

A JUDGMENT ON WILDE.

Horace Traubel seems to be threatened with coherency of late. He has given over the habit of writing in jerks, so that he is becoming almost intelligible. For years his feelings on a multitude of subjects have had a sort of reliability and freshness, but the Whitman obsession smothered them with yawps and spasms. He has a monthly paper which he calls the Conservator, because it conserves Horace Traubel and the style he never possessed. In a recent number he writes a lively column about Oscar Wilde. He condemns him as a man born to die because he cared nothing about the truth of what he said as long as he said it well. Traubel says that Wilde went right up to the door, but lacked the password which is finality in art. He admits that Wilde delights, but denies that he inspires, and thinks this is because the man's enthusiasm for loveliness never contained any love. The best that can be said for him is that he was a sort of last court of verbal appeal.

This is to be taken in sober earnest. Wilde was indeed a consummate artist, but the fire of his message was lost in the finish of its expression. Like many of the rest of us, his one purpose was to be drunk with sensation. Too many men live after that pattern. Every minute of their leisure is spent in meeting something they can do something to or which will have a pleasurable effect upon them.

"LET THEM BEWARE."

In a speech cunningly calculated to inflame his hearers, Job Harriman, the recognized leader of Socialism in this city, colleague of the McNamaras and dynamite conspirators, declared before an assembly of I.W.W.'s and their fellows that they ought to march to the City Council, demand money and work, and if it was refused, "let them beware, and other officers of the law as well."

There is no veil over that threat. It is plain and murderous. But in this city law and order will be maintained and upheld. Los Angeles cannot be terrified, and will not be bullied. The Socialists have tried it: the unions have tried it; together they have tried it with dynamite, arson and riots—and they have failed.

The citizens of Los Angeles and their officials are not only willing but eager to alleviate suffering that may come to any man or men due to inability to work or to find work. Los Angeles is anxious to relieve any destitution that may be found here. If there are honest men seeking employment and work cannot be found among any of the many industries, then the city will gladly create opportunities for work and see that every man who wants it has a chance to earn a livelihood.

But by the grace of manhood and womanhood, no fire-eating hoodlums, no incendiary demagogue like Job Harriman or his ilk, no imported aggregation of I.W.W., no predatory influx of vagrants can come into this city and exact anything by threats.

There is no one in Los Angeles unfamiliar with the rancor burning in the mind of Harriman for the many times that he has been repudiated as a political candidate in this city; there is no one unfamiliar with the cut and dried plot to create disorder here and to lay the blame for lack of work on the lack of union despotism. The harangues delivered Sunday night were to add fuel to the frenzy of the rioters.

Knowing the situation, its causes and its secret instigators, the most ominous feature of the anarchistic threats is dissipated, for the people of Los Angeles realize that the conditions are not as represented. The Socialists first claimed there were 40,000 unemployed. Evidently circumstances are growing less pressing, for their most rabid claim is now 30,000—but those in a position to be accurately familiar with the situation affirm that number to be an egregious exaggeration.

There are some unemployed, and the city has arranged to open a bureau to dispose of their cases. But the majority do not want work—they want inflammatory speeches, mass meetings, donations in money—and trouble. It was by this gang that previous threats, have been made against the city; it was to them that Harriman pleaded for violence. And we quote from his own lips the text that it would be well for all who seek trouble to heed: "Let them beware!"

THE VOICE OF THE EMPLOYED.

There is no city in the United States, or in the world, where an industrious and efficient workman—skilled or unskilled—is better paid, better fed, better housed or better clothed than in Los Angeles. He is welcomed in the church, the caucus and the secret society. His children may become High School graduates. Public libraries are open to him. The drama and the concert hall are not closed to him. His wife may have a silk gown for Sundays. With economy that permits the enjoyment of modest luxury, he may obtain and pay for a bungalow of his own on the installment plan. Blighting cold and blistering heat are unknown in this part of God's country, and there are hardly twenty days in the year when a man may not work with comfort in the open air with his coat off.

These conditions are, to an extent, the offspring of the system of employment which has existed in Los Angeles for many years. This is the city of the open shop. It is the fortress of industrial freedom, and all the plans and efforts of the labor leaders of San Francisco and their attendant band of grafters, thugs and dynamiters, have failed to reduce the fortress to even temporary subjection.

It is true probably that in this city of more than half a million people, with every incoming train crowded with seekers for work, there are more men seeking jobs than there are jobs seeking workmen. That is inevitable. But the worker who comes here expecting to obtain work by forcing some other man out of a job will be—as he ought to be—doomed to disappointment. The employers of Los Angeles, with but few exceptions, pay no more attention to the assumptions, and requests, and ipse dixits of the labor unions than the comet paid to the bull of Pope Gregory. In hiring a workman they make a contract with him individually and decline collective bargaining. In many instances they do not know, and in most instances they do not care, whether he is, or is not, a member of a labor union. If the man hired proves to be idle, drunken, inefficient or a trouble breeder, not all the efforts of all the walking delegates in Los Angeles can prevent his discharge. If he is capable, sober and reliable, not all the endeavors of all the labor leaders between McCarthy's office and hell can oust him from his place.

THE LUST FOR SPEED.

"Faster! Faster! Faster!" Is the cry that lashes the speed demons through our streets and over our boulevards. It is the cry behind the chauffeur, behind the locomotive engineer, behind the motorman. Miles must be crowded into minutes, and the sons of Jehu guiding organisms of steel plunge forward, heedless of cost or calamity, to gratify the speed craving.

One is dead and thirteen are injured as the results of a Sunday night's speed-carousal in Los Angeles. It was not—at least all of it was not—due to alcoholic drunkenness. But those intoxicated by speed sat at the wheels of the motor cars and on the seats of the motorcycles.

Those to whom such accidents occur are almost always out for pleasure. The exigencies of business seldom demand the furious gait that satisfies the joy-riders. It is the mad rush for exhilaration that ends in the morgue or the hospital.

The terrific speed of locomotives and suburban trains has of recent years been tamed down to the principle of "safety first"—but the license of automobile ownership knows no limits except the innate sense of the man at the wheel. Hence the tragedies.

Added to the lust for speed is the crime of carelessness. It would not be so pitiful if only those guilty of folly suffered. But children are stricken down, other vehicles are endangered—life is unsafe while the maniacs are whizzing around corners, along ill-lighted highways or over well-traveled streets. The fiery-eyed juggernauts have long been a menace; they are increasing as such. Criminal law, vigorously applied, might be a deterrent; but for each individual to awaken to his responsibility and to the rights and safety of others would be the only solution.

Incidentally this awakening would solve practically all of the other crimes and problems of the earth.

Heed Her Advice.

COMFORT.

WALT MASON IN THE TIMES.

How sweet it is, when winds are wailing, like music from a demon's lyre, and snowflakes in the wind are sailing, to have a book beside the fire! To have a corking, "red blood" novel, in which the interest never wanes, the while the storm assails your hovel, and shakes the doors and window panes! Let bards insist that spring's hummer, with skies of azure over all; let those who will stand up for summer, or hang their garlands on the fall. Give me that day when winter rages like some wild lion hunting spoil, while I sit snug and turn the pages of something new by Conan Doyle. It's sweet to look out through the casement and see the snow wraiths rushing past, to watch the trees, as in abasement, bend low before the howling blast. Ah, such a scene to me discloses a bliss of which I'd dream while basking in a bed of roses, or fishing in a woodland stream. So by the stove I sit and burn dust I brought supposing it was coal. Come, winter, come, and do your durnedest—you cannot bluff my rugged soul!

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WIVES OUTLIVE HUSBANDS.

[New York Times:] Why are there Twice as many widows as widowers in the United States?

Is it because widows are more reluctant than widowers to re-enter the married state, or does it indicate that the chances are two to one that the wife will outlive the husband?

These questions were raised in a statement dealing with national mortality issued yesterday by the conservation department of the Equitable Life Assurance Society, which continued:

"In 1910 there were 3,176,288 widows and but 1,471,390 widowers in the United States. The census shows the astonishing fact that there were 10,261 widows below the age of 20 and but 1110 widowers.

"To what extent does the fact that the average age of the husband is a little higher than that of the wife account for this?

"From the age of 20 to 24 there were 55,354 widows and but 18,815 widowers, and the difference continues to a marked degree throughout the older age periods.

"To every 100 widowers there were 264 widows in 1890; 231 in 1900, and 215 in 1910.

"Such statistics as are available show that the death rate of husbands is higher than that of wives, and it is still higher among widowed males."

Banks and Loans.

[Omaha Bee:] "When one goes to the bank," we are told, "he obligates himself to the bank. It may be only by a slip of paper for payment of some dollars of money, but there is danger it will not end there." The inference is that when one borrows money he assumes an obligation more than to repay the principal and interest, which is doubtless often the case, but, assuming the necessity of borrowing, it is doubtful if the transaction ordinarily creates as much obligation to a bank as it does to some accommodating friend. For a bank the loaning of money constitutes its regular line of business. It buys and sells credits and is supposed to loan on purely commercial considerations. If a person, however, borrows from friends or relatives, the loan is always regarded as a personal favor calling for favors in return in addition to repayment.

Moral: If you must borrow money, and in doing so want to incur the least possible "obligation," borrow from the bank.

Need It All Right.

[Boston Transcript:] Stox: Say, old man, I'm sorry that market tip I gave you yesterday turned out so bad. I hope—

Fox: Oh, that's all right. I passed it along to a fellow I had a grudge against.

STREAKS OF WIT.

Seemed Natural to Him.

[Washington Star:] "Did you give this man the third degree?" asked the police officer.

"Yes. We browbeat and badgered him with every question we could think of."

"What did he do?"

"He dozed off and merely murmured now and then: 'Yes, my dear. You're perfectly right!'"

Times Have Changed.

[Louisville Courier Journal:] "Thirty cents a word for this stuff?" exclaimed the editor, "I wouldn't think of it."

"Sir, I am a famous author."

"That's just it. You are a famous author, not a famous pugilist or a successful spitball pitcher."

Driven to Greatness.

[Chicago Record-Herald:] "Why do you suppose it is," she asked, "that nearly all the great men of this world have been married?"

"I suppose," replied the old bachelor, "it's because they had to do something to get their minds off the troubles they had at home."

Blood Will Tell.

[Cleveland Plain Dealer:] "Why does that little hen over there refuse to associate with the others?"

"Haven't you heard? She was hatched from an egg that was laid in Schwab's $15,000 coop!"

Concealed the Evidence.

[Puck:] Callow Sportsman: You remember when you guided me five years ago, Jake? What caliber rifle was I using that year?

Guide: I don't know, sir; the doctors ain't never dug out the bullet!

Not the Safe Signal.

[Chicago Journal:] Friendly Constable: "Come, come, sir; pull yourself together; there's your wife calling you."

Festive Gent: What' she call—hic—calling me, Billy or William?

Constable: William, sir.

Festive Gent: Then I'm not goin'—hic—'ome.

New Breakfast Food.

[Kansas City Star:] "I see where a band of them starvin' Mexican rebels give up when they was offered amnesty," observed Henry Cornfield, laying down the paper.

"It sounds queer, but if it's filin' I guess it must 'a' tasted mighty good to 'em," responded his neighbor.

Thinking of the Future.

[Woman's Home Companion:] "What could be more sad than a man without a country?" feelingly asked the high-school literature teacher of her class.

"A country without a man," responded a pretty girl just as feelingly.

A Progressive.

[Binghamton Age-Herald:] "Dorkin is what I would call a true patriot."

"How is he qualified?"

"He knows at least one stanza of 'The Star Spangled Banner,' the estimated cost of the Panama Canal and the practical disadvantages of the United States possessing the Philippine Islands."

Highest Railways in the World.

[Engineering Record:] In the spring of 1912 there was opened in South America a railway between the harbor town of Arica in Chile and La Paz, the capital of Bolivia. The gauge is 3.28 feet and the Andes Mountains are passed through a tunnel located 12,996 feet over the ocean. After passing the tunnel the railroad follows the Maure River, crosses the Desuguadero River and terminates at La Paz, which is located at an elevation of 12,113 feet. The total length of the road is 300 miles.

This railroad, however, is not the highest in the world. In the fall of 1913 the Antofagasta Railway was opened, connecting the Multi River with Potosi. The railroad has its highest point at an elevation of 16,006 feet.

Of standard-gauge railways the Peruvian Central Railroad is the highest. It connects the harbor city Callao with the capital Lima and the city of Oroya. Its tunnel through the Andes Mountains is located at a height of 15,750 feet.

In Europe the highest railroad is located on the Jungfrau Mountain in Switzerland. This mountain is 13,665 feet high and the highest point reached by the road is 11,140 feet.

In the United States the nine-mile railroad up Pike's Peak in Colorado reaches the top of the mountain, which is 14,216 feet high.

THE VOGUE FOR HONESTY.

BY ALMA WHITAKER.

This latest vogue for honesty is very interesting. The last two books I have read, by widely differing authors, both have an honest man for a hero. Cosmo Hamilton in "The Door That Has No Key," and August Strindberg in "By the Open Sea," give us fine straight, incorruptibly honest men—and the meanest women you ever met.

Of course there was bound to be a reaction. All the bright cynics have been telling us for so long that it was impossible to be a success in this world unless one shed one's honesty. The best people would repeat the sad, bad platitude in all good faith. There have been times when I almost believed it myself. The evidence was so convincing.

City after city, corporation after corporation, government after government, experienced the inconvenient debacle of a showing-up—and behold, it transpired every time that the most successful had been the most dishonest. Lawyers, politicians, doctors, preachers, authors, newspaper proprietors—one after the other we saw those that we knew to be irreclaimably dishonest raised to the heights of their profession, and even a President, who had once stood forth as almost a god amongst men, proved to be the merest humbug as time went on.

Of course lawyers have always had a bad name. There never was a time in all history when lawyers were not regarded with natural suspicion. Yet lawyers rule the world today. Most of the best positions in the world are held by lawyers. The British Prime Minister, Chancellor of the Exchequer, and various other ministers of the crown are all lawyers. It is the same in France and Germany and Scandinavia, and in the United States.

That was doubtless how the old dishonesty platitude first came in. And that is why Cosmo Hamilton was particularly daring and original in making his honest hero a lawyer—and a successful lawyer at that.

I experienced a genuine thrill of relief when I read that book. There is hope for the world. If we can only make honesty fashionable, success will be so much more lasting and we shall be spared the frequent and disturbing debacle of the showing-up. You see, you can't show up an honest man.

Things have been getting to such a pass that it is a common thing to explain that So-and-So was a failure because "he was too honest." Every boy and girl has heard respectable parents make some such remark dozens of times and the hypocritical lie has been elevated to the distinction of a household maxim. Is it any wonder that many an otherwise naturally honest but ambitious young person should deliberately forsake the paths of honesty, counting the honor well lost for success in a world that recognizes no other standard?

This calumny against the strength and vitality and sublime possibilities of honesty is one of the most damnable lies that modern civilization has allowed to take root and flourish. For it is a lie—a thousand times a lie. The sort of success that comes without honesty is a miserable, short-lived thing, a cheap, rotten imitation that leaves a man disgraced, exposed, paltry, found out in the very prime of life. None but the honest can enjoy power, prestige and prosperity, pride and the love of mankind in perpetuity.

And the parents of the next generation, many of them dishonest failures themselves through the insidious suggestion of the damnable maxim, are evidently awakening to the fact. The renaissance of honesty is at hand. For the moment honesty and truth are delightfully original and only the intensely modern and far-seeing are being clever enough to "get in on the ground floor." In society one can become a social lion by a simple system of unvarnished frankness, and the unblushingly honest person is regarded as a most attractive humorist. But that phase won't last much longer. A few more books with uncompromisingly honest heroes, a few more plays with honesty for the main motif, and just a little more discrimination on the part of the public will set honesty on its feet again.

One reason why dishonesty has seemed to flourish so speciously is because the large majority of mankind is inherently honest but the cynics have managed to foster the idea that brains and dishonesty were synonymous. Wherefore honesty became modest and counted itself no match against dishonesty, allowing many a chance and opportunity to go by default. Once give honesty its due, restore it to its pride of place, and self-confidence will return to the righteous.

Infantile frankness and honesty are established facts, as all parents must acknowledge. Before it is contaminated with the insidious maxim of grown-ups, the child is naturally truthful and honest, frequently to the embarrassment and discomfort of the family. That glorious trait has been deliberately spoiled and the cult of dishonesty implanted in the young idea. Children are taught to be dishonest in a thousand subtle ways by decent, respectable parents. And then the world shakes its hypocritical old head and bemoans the fact that an honest man cannot succeed!

But things will come right. The very fact that so many guileless people continue to lose their money in fraudulent organizations is in itself a hopeful sign. Deep in our hearts we all believe in honesty and we all yearn to place our trust in honest men. The dishonest people who have been enjoying a sort of short-lived success are but a small minority after all; and even they are wise enough to pretend to be honest to succeed.

It is the same in commerce, law and love. Your commercial genius, like the late Pierpont Morgan, who testified to the fact before the recent investigation, will pretend to distrust all men collectively, but the whole foundation of his business rests upon his ultimate belief in the honesty of the individual men he deals with. Vast transactions in the world of finance are consummated with a mere nod.

And while men and women are ever ready to profess distrust of the whole of the opposite sex, man is willing to believe one individual woman to be true blue all through, and even the most violent of manhating suffragettes can generally be persuaded to believe one man noble.

So there is a strong, established nucleus to work upon—and the renaissance of honesty is at hand.

Can't Do Both.

[Houston Post:] "Pop, you an' ma have got me guessin'."

"What's the matter, son?"

"Ma tells me to always tell the truth an' you tell me to always be polite. Now, which shall I do?"

President Wilson has just celebrated his fifty-seventh birthday anniversary—another case of the "fifty-seven varieties."

Pen Points: By the Staff

Have you commenced to practice to write it 1914?

Have you noticed how much longer the days are growing? What, no!

It seems that Mrs. Emmeline Pankhurst is having a perfectly corking time in Paris with that $30,000.

Champ Clark's farming experiences probably consists merely of making hay while the sun shines.

Ambassador Page is almost as well received in London society as if he wore kilts and indulged in the bagpipes.

Why not leave a call with Big Ben and take a nap? He will ring when the Mexican situation again needs attention.

Ex-Mayor Shank of Indianapolis, who went out on two strikes, is coming to Los Angeles to fill a "vodeville" date.

It is now claimed that there is not to exceed a half-ounce of radium in the world. The fault of the pesky Republicans, no doubt.

It must be admitted that Mr. and Mrs. Francis Bowes Sayre managed to earn a big hotel bill in London.

A lot of nerve in that French expert to name two of the prettiest girls in the United States without coming to Los Angeles.

Uncle Joe Cannon intimates that he might make another race for Congress. Whatever his faults the Danville man is no quitter.

An English specialist says that fat babies are not the healthiest. But the baby-food dealers will never put that in their advertisements.

Several of the big railroads of the country will pass their dividend this year. It is becoming quite fashionable these Democratic times.

By the way, to what party does the Hon. Bourke Cockran propose to ally himself in the next campaign? At last accounts Bourke was a Bull Mooser.

The investigation into the egg problem will, of course, place all of the blame on the hen. That is the old Adam and Eve charge it to the woman.

Dictographs have been installed in the Treasury Department at Washington. Heretofore there has been no trouble in hearing money talk.

The Democrats in quest of the Los Angeles postoffice appointment who started out for a porterhouse steak are ready to compromise on a soup bone.

The new Lord Mayor of London says that we shall be able to visit Mars by 2013—but in the meantime he will have plenty of time to shift the date ahead a few centuries.

Some day some of the newspapers will tell us that things can happen to men who are not "multi-millionaires," and to women who are not "beautiful." A lot of things happen to common folks.

Suffragettes are demanding that they be appointed elevator attendants in government buildings. That's the way—they are willing to give the men a lift.

A lot of people in this work-a-day world will be eager to know whether Secretary Bryan has demonstrated the fact that it is possible for a man to honestly accumulate a million dollars.

With wool on the free list suits of clothes that formerly cost $30 can now be had for $29.95, and in the meantime the country has lost millions in duties. Great is Democracy.

Vesuvius begins to show signs of activity over again. That will furnish news until until there is another snow blockade in Colorado, or the peach buds are frozen in Delaware.

Switzerland has just elected a President. Dr. Arthur Hoffman, and the balance of the world didn't know a thing about it. Except in the tourist season news is quiet in Switzerland.

If the San Francisco hotels make good in their agreement not to advance rates during the big show they will provide the greatest curiosity of the occasion. At this early date we shall give them credit for good intentions, at least.

They say up in Oregon that Senator Harry Lane will not be returned for another term. He has forgotten his friends. A man doesn't get very far in politics if he kicks away the ladder that lifted him into power.

Away back in 1896 William Jennings Bryan thought $3000 a year about enough for a man to live on comfortably, but that was before he began to run for President and couldn't raise enough money to pay his house, according to reports in Lincoln.

Don't let anybody make you believe that John D. Rockefeller does not read the newspapers. He may not read them personally, but we will wager a dollar bone to a peanut that he knows everything they contain. We never heard of but one man who boasted that he never read newspapers, and he is now on the Superior Court bench in Los Angeles county.

LINES TO A LADY ON THE FIRST FLOOR.

Lady on the floor above,
Charming, chic, entrancing,
You're the type that I could love,
But I hate your dancing!

Pleasant, your infectious laugh,
Musical and rippling;
But your dreadful phonograph
Soon will have me tippling.

Tango, trot and bunny hug
All your heart desires;
Only, lady, use a rug—
Till my lease expires.
—[Maurice Switzer, in Judge.

TUESDAY MORNING

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Woman Arrested at Res Home Denies Charge.

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Will Face Her Accusers Court This Morning.

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This morning in the Juvenile Court she will have an opportunity of facing her accusers, wayward girl inmates of the Hill Crest Rest Cottage and proving, if she can, to the satisfaction of the court that the contentions of these persons are false.

Widespread interest in the case has been aroused by the fact that in the investigation of the charge against her the officers have uncovered white slave operations reaching from Vancouver to Mexico City, and from Los Angeles to Shanghai. From these facts it is alleged by the authorities that she may be an international procuress.

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Leads Desperate Fight to Save Bandit.

James A. Fariss,

Father of Ralph Fariss, the train robber, and who is here from his home in Bakersfield to try and keep his boy from the gallows.

No "Not Guilty Plea."

(Continued from First Page.)

Devoe—or Dunn—proprietor of the Poodle Dog restaurant on East First street, arrived in Los Angeles Sunday on the Yale from San Francisco, and registered at the Kanet Apartments at No. 130½ North Broadway, where the women and Devote—or Dunn—lived for four months before they left for the north with Fariss the night following the El Monte train robbery and murder. They told the landlandy, Mrs. Walker, that they could not afford to pay the price asked for a suite of rooms, and left, saying they would call last night if they were unable to secure more reasonable quarters. They had not called at a late hour last night.

Joseph Devoe — or Dunn — who helped his brother in the Poodle Dog, declared last night at the Kanet Apartments that he had not seen Tom or the two women. When told that Fariss had given the names of Mrs. Statler and her mother, Devoe called Fariss a "coward, dirty dog, and a squealer," for having brought the girl into his vile work.

SOME HISTORY.

According to Mrs. Walker, the mother is not divorced from her second husband, Fred Ferguson, a mining broker, who is now in Mexico, and the name "Devoe" is assumed. She registered on October 4, last, at the Kanet under the latter name. Devoe was also there. They remained until the night of December 2, when they left for the north with Lola and Fariss. When Lola and her mother posed for photographs at Mitchell's studio, No. 612½ South Broadway, Mrs. Ferguson told Mitchell "we are sisters." Lola posed at Fariss's request three days before he held up the Sunset Express, and the finished photographs were mailed to Mrs. Statler at the Arthur Apartments, Jones and Post streets, San Francisco, where Fariss took her. Mrs. Ferguson was cashier in an East First-street restaurant where Devoe had an interest, for several months, and her "sister" passed much time there.

Fariss declared yesterday that Mrs. Statler first heard him called "Bostick," his pet alias, when she unexpectedly visited him at his room, No. 750 South Olive street, two weeks before the hold-up.

"When she asked me why the landlady called me Bostick, I told her I was a gambler and used that name to protect myself," said the condemned man.

DANCE-HALL MEETING.

"Five months ago I met Lola at Solomon's dance hall on Grand avenue," said Fariss. "We had a couple of dances together and made a date to meet the next night. I saw her often after that. The girl said she was unhappy at home and loved me because I treated her with kindness. I met her mother a few days later and she knew of our relations. The mother told other people she was Lola's sister. I asked her if she would marry me and she consented. I needed money, and in view of the fact that the Richmond hold-up had been successful I conceived this idea of getting money for our flight.

"The night after the hold-up the girl, her mother and myself left for San Francisco. None of the detectives or policemen at the depot paid the slightest attention to us. We stayed at the Arthur until my arrest. We were planning to leave San Francisco the night I was caught. We were going to Salt Lake City first, where I hoped to get work as a railroad man. I had $45 left and Lola had $75 of my El Monte money. I bought pretty dresses and hats for Lola with the hold-up money and gave her some of the jewelry and part of the money.

"I don't know where she is now, but I feel certain she will not go back on me."

THE STATLERS.

Mrs. Statler is a mere slip of a person weighing about ninety pounds. She is 4ft. 4in. tall and a decided brunette. The three other girls mentioned in the Fariss case are brunettes. She came to Los Angeles five years ago with her mother, the then Mrs. George, from Kansas City where she was born. For three years she attended the Grand-avenue school, just one block from the dance hall where she met the bandit-slayer. She was quite popular with her schoolmates.

Roy Statler, the husband, who is 23 years old, refused to make any statement regarding his wife or her whereabouts last night at San Pedro. He is a clerk in Swindle's butcher shop, No. 623 Beacon street. Fellow clerks say Statler has not seen his wife for six months and that their separation is final.

FATHER KNOWS LITTLE.

Fariss's father was 51 years old yesterday; his mother is three and a half years younger. In the past twenty-one years, the elder Fariss says she has had seven operations and is practically a confirmed invalid.

The father said yesterday: "If you are a father you will understand that I shall try to save my boy from the gallows, and to do the best I can for him. I have engaged the best legal talent, and shall try to get as light a sentence for Ralph as I can, but even life imprisonment is better than hanging, for 'while there is life, there is hope.' His mother feels the same way as I do about it. The boy is not a criminal at heart."

Fariss senior professed to know nothing about the women friends with which Ralph has been intimate. He admitted that the young man was at one time a brakeman for the Southern Pacific on the San Joaquin division, between Fresno and Bakersfield.

DISTRICT ATTORNEY OPEN.

Capt. Fredericks made the following statement yesterday concerning his attitude towards Fariss:

"If there is any point which learned counsel could raise which point the court would be justified in considering before passing sentence and if that point was not raised by reason of the ignorance of the defendant, we are perfectly willing that the judgment be set aside in order that it may be heard.

"The State does not punish in anger or vengeance. Such a delay at best could be but short. This young man has simply arrived at his destination in life toward which he has been hurrying with accurate precision. The State will insist on the extreme penalty. But we also concede to the defendant the right to be heard if in his ignorance he has deprived himself of that privilege."

IN SAN FRANCISCO.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 29.—The manager of the Arthur Apartments confirmed tonight the young bandit's statement that Fariss and the woman who posed as his wife lived at the house from December 4 to December 22 or 23. While there they paid their bills and conducted themselves in a manner that disarmed suspicion.

The girl's mother lived in another part of the city, but occasionally visited the couple at their apartments. The manager believed the two women to be sisters because he was told so and by the reason of their close resemblance.

The police here have no trace of the women. For some reason Fariss and Mrs. Lola Statler moved from the apartments a day or so before his arrest on December 23, to rooms at No. 2735 Mission street. It was in these rooms that the police found a number of the girl's effects last Saturday night, among which was a stenographic notebook containing addresses and notations.

MAN OF MANY HONORS.

Mayor of Cornell Also Postmaster, Deputy Sheriff, Justice of Peace, and a Few Other Things.

For the present Nathan Wise, founder and Mayor of the town of Cornell, in the Santa Monica Mountains, fifty-three miles from Los Angeles and fifteen miles from a railroad, will accept no more honors.

Wise, who is at the Hollenbeck, is postmaster at Cornell, Deputy Sheriff, treasurer of the Cornell La Lessa Improvement Association, justice of the peace and volunteer fireman, and was Santa Claus at the Christmas tree entertainment. Recently he was asked to become a member of the board of school trustees, but declined with thanks.

Wise founded the town two years ago, immediately after an artesian well of hot mineral water was struck on the property of the Ramera Oil Company. The settlement was named after Cornell University. It now has a population of forty families.

"I have all the honors that I can take care of at present," Wise said yesterday. "Every minute of my waking hours is taken. I have just run down to the city for a little rest. Our town hasn't much but the gusher and picturesque scenery, but we are making progress."

Wise has been in the mountains seven years.

Staub's

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Nettleton Shoes are "thoroughbreds" in every sense of the word.

They've "class" and distinction all their own.

Their Style and Comfort appeal strongly to the smart dresser — their "wearability" to the prudent buyer.

A Style and Size for YOUR Foot.

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Red Tag Sale

We are selling used cars at a price that is moving them.

Do you know that we have automobiles that look as good as new and run as good as new?

Have you any idea what we are selling them for?

Come in and we will quote you prices that will amaze you.

CHALMERS-LOS ANGELES COMPANY

1010 So. Hope Street

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Coulter Dry Goods Co.

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TO OUR CHARGE CUSTOMERS: All purchases made throughout the store on Tuesday and Wednesday, December 30 and 31, will appear on the statement rendered you Feb. 1.

Clearance Now of Women's Dresses

All broken assortments will go into this clearance, which serves to keep stocks in that fresh and perfect condition that our patrons have a right to expect. You can buy ready-to-wear dresses in this sale at less than you could purchase the materials and make them up yourselves!

Rug & Drapery Specials

$1.50 Curtains —of Nottingham, in white and ecru; 50 inches wide, 3 yds. long; eight good patterns, 95c

$1.75 Couch Covers —in Oriental colors and stripes; 55x95 inches...$1.10

12½c and 15c Silkolines —plain and fancy; special, 10c

25c Cretonnes 32x36 inches wide; good patterns and colors 16c

15c Swiss —C. T. N. quality; small and coin dots, 11c.

Whittall Rugs Reduced —prices quoted are for 9x12 ft. sizes; others in proportion— Anglo-Persian....$60 Anglo-Indian....$50 Royal Worcester..$45 Teperac.....$40 Chlidema Brussels, $32.75 Peerless Brussels..$30

—Rugs; Draperies; Third Floor

Wool Dresses —in eponge, heavy repp, serge, in navy, brown and king's blue; trimmings of plush or silk poplin to match; prices were $7 to $30, cut ¼ to 1-3

Party Frocks —in chiffon and lace combinations; or all lace; tunic and overskirt effects; for misses and women; these were marked low originally, and sold at $12.50 to $40— now $9.50 to $29.50

White Sport Coats —were $15 to $30, now $7.50 to $15.

Suits Reduced —variously, from a quarter to a half.

—Garment Section; Second Floor—

Extra Specials in Waists, Petticoats, Etc.

—Clearances, pure and simple, of all odd or incomplete lines. Qualities, in every instance, are of the best, and the prices are certainly noteworthy:

Fancy Waists —chiffons, lace and crepe de chine; handsome garments that sold originally up to as high as $10, special $4.50

Dressing Sacques —values up to $1.25, 50c

Women's Sweaters —values up to $6..$3.50 —values to $4....$2.00 Some of these sweaters are a trifle soiled.

Cotton Petticoats —values up to 85c....35c

Silk Petticoats —values to $5—in green, white, Nell-rose and black, $1.95.

House Dresses —values up to $1.75, special 75c

—Waist and Petticoat Section; Second Floor—

New Woolen Dress Goods Just Received

Exponents of what will be highest in fashion's favor this spring and summer; newly-arrived, and on display in the Wool Goods Section:

54-inch Waffle Check Coatings $3

54-inch blue and green Suitings $2.50

54-inch Plaid Back Coatings $2.50 to $4.50

Black and white check Suitings....$1 to $4.50

54-inch Eponge Plaid Coatings $3.50

—Wool Goods; Broadway Annex—

A Sale of Silks and Dress Goods Wednesday—Details Tomorrow

Perrin, Fownes' and Other World-Famous Gloves Are to Be Had Here!

We carry constantly in stock so many good lines of gloves, in such a wide variety of styles and sizes and colors, that no woman can fail to find exactly what she most likes in gloves. If you have short fingers, we can fit you; if your hand is long and slender, your glove is here. In short, we aim to carry such a diversity of thoroughly dependable gloves that we can fit any one. YOUR GLOVE ORDERS can be filled very satisfactorily now.

—Gloves; Main Floor—

Kewpies in Plenty

So many people are looking about for these cunning little Kewpies, that we know the announcement that we have them here, in all sizes, from 25c to $5, will be gladly received. Kewpie Outfits, too; fit out the little fellows with cunning sweaters, caps, etc.

—Toys; Third Floor—

Ribbon Novelties at Half Price

Dozens and dozens of pretty made-up articles on sale at just half their early season prices. You can buy all sorts of bags, trays, corsage and hair ornaments, coat hangers, etc., at extremely low prices, now.

Ribbons at 25c—Values to 65c

A wide variety of plain and fancy stripes, Persians and Dresdens in light and dark warps; suitable for hair-ribbons, and sashes, etc., or for vestings. Widths 2½ to 6 inches; values to 65c, for 25c

—Ribbon Section; Main Floor—

Women's $1 Outsize Silk Lisle Hose 75c

These in black only, and in fine silk lisle; outsizes to fit the women who seldom expect to find bargains in these necessities—the dollar grade, today only 75c

—Hosiery Section; Main Floor—

Girls' Garments Reduced

Wool Middies —in navy flannel; sizes 14 to 20.....$3.50

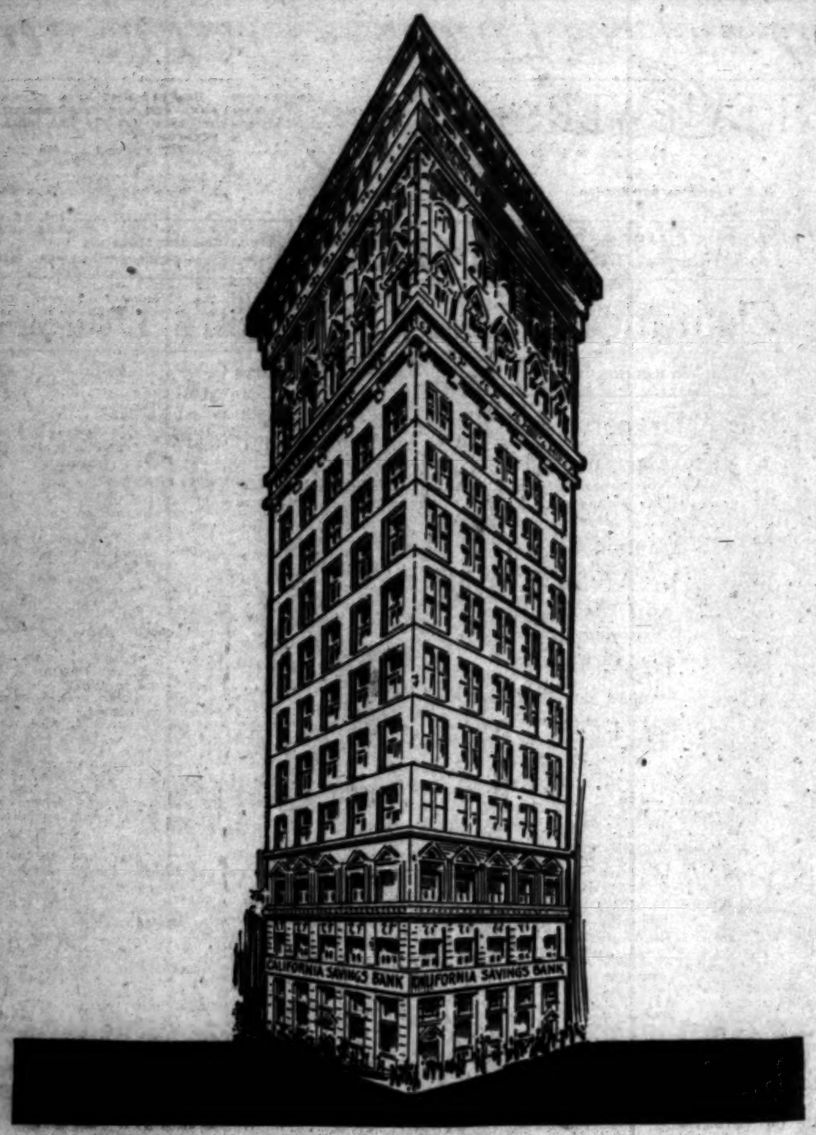
Rain Capes —in poplin, rubber lined; navy, brown, red, with hood; $5.00 quality, $4.50

Girls' Coats —in chinchilla, Melton, boucles; in zibelines; taupe, navy, Copenhagen, brown; for girls 8 to 14; were $5.50 to $13.00, cut.....¼

Eiderdown Robes —in plain or figured designs; sizes 8 to 14; were $3 to $5.50, cut.....1-4

—Children's Wear; Second Floor—

215-229 South Broadway—224-228 South Hill Street



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Its Effect Upon Character and Success in Life

Read what these eminent Men have said about the habit of saving and its effect upon character and success in life.

Andrew Carnegie—

"The man who cannot and does not save money cannot and will not do anything else worth while."

John Wanamaker—

"The difference between a clerk who spends all of his salary and the clerk who saves part of it is the difference—in ten years—between the owner of a business and the man out of a job."

Marshall Field—

"The result of the saving habit is not properly appreciated. I consider it to be almost the greatest element in making for a young man's success."

You will admit that there is every reason why you should start to lay by part of your earnings each week—start to save and save systematically. So let your New Year's resolution be

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THE WITHDRAWAL CASES.

Next Act in Famous Litigation Over Kern County Oil Lands to Be in San Francisco.

Dist.-Atty. Schoonover, A. I. McCormick and Oscar Lawler will leave shortly for San Francisco to take part in the argument on the motion of the defendants, the Midway Northern Oil Company and others, in the action brought by the government to have declared valid certain withdrawals of oil land in Kern county, which comes up before United States District Judge Dooling Friday morning. This is the first open court action taken in any of these famous suits, and it was first set for hearing for Fresno, but changed to San Francisco, for the convenience of counsel. The motion of the defendants is to dismiss the bill or an injunction restraining the government from taking possession of the land.

The action of Judge Riner of the United States District Court at Laramie, Wyo., in deciding cases involving oil land in that State against the contention of the government adds interest to the hearing before Judge Dooling.

The defendants are: Midway Northern Oil Company, Los Angeles McKittrick Oil Company, Consolidated Midway Oil Company, National Pacific Oil Company, Maricopa Northern Oil Company, General Petroleum Company, Standard Oil Company and others, besides a number of individuals.

William Denman of San Francisco, who has been placed in charge of the case by Atty-Gen. McReynolds, will be the leading counsel, but he will be assisted by Asst. Atty.-Gen. A. C. Justice. Of the local attorneys, Lawler appears for certain defendants, while Schoonover and McCormick are for the government.

FIFTEEN AND OVER.

Fine Entertainment and Banquet by a Hamburger Organization of Veterans.

The Fifteen and Over Club held its third annual banquet last night at the home of H. A. Koll, No. 2617 South Vermont avenue. The affair was held in honor of General Manager Chamberlain of the great white store, it being the twenty-seventh anniversary of his connection with A. Hamburger & Sons.

The Fifteen and Over Club is composed of those who have been in the employ of the store for fifteen years or more. They are: W. E. Chamberlain, general manager; W. C. Hetfelfinger, sales manager; H. A. Koll, the Misses Rachel Swarmer, Carrie Marden and Anna and Madge Dempsey, Luke Lederman, Al Kebble, W. J. Fitzpatrick, J. C. Shettle, Percy Alen, Robert R. Black, J. C. Kifford, Edward McIver and Richard de Bluguet.

The centerpiece was a mammoth bower of pink and contained seventeen incandescent lights beneath each of which was a hand-painted card with the picture and name of each guest, together with the picture of Mr. Chamberlain. Miss Annie Dempsey composed a poem, each verse of which was about some member of the club. As the poem was read the lights were turned on over the particular picture of the person about whom she talked. The effect was novel and elicited much comment from the guests.

Later in the evening D. A. Hamburger, M. A. Hamburger, Otto Sweet and Irving Farian came out and the evening was spent in giving reminiscences of the times when the store had its beginning. Mrs. H. A. Koll was hostess.

LAWYER TAKES POISON.

Breaks Parole and When Officers Come to Arrest Him He Tips the Deadly Vial.

Ivan C. Baker, an attorney with offices at 628 California building, took a dose of potassium cyanide in his office just as he was arrested for breaking his parole on a forgery conviction several months ago. The arrest took place shortly after 11 o'clock. He died at the Emergency Hospital about an hour later.

Baker was arrested by Deputy Sheriffs Sweeney and Modie. They had been seeking the man for several days. He broke his parole on December 24 by failing to make a report to the parole officer. He was out on a two-year parole after conviction in the local courts.

The officers arrived before the office soon after 11 o'clock. Baker evidently was expecting them, for just as they entered he took the poison. An ambulance was at once rushed to the place, but the physicians at the hospital failed to resuscitate him. He died without making a statement.

PRODUCE DESTROYED.

Firemen Fight to Keep Blaze From Several Carloads of Matches. Fireman Injured.

Fire damaged several thousand dollars' worth of potatoes, onions, other produce and tinned goods in the warehouses of Loeb, Fleishman & Co. and the United Wholesale Grocery Company at Second street and Central avenue shortly after 3 o'clock last night.

Several carloads of matches on the third floor of the building were in considerable danger for over two hours, but the efforts of the firemen kept the blaze from that portion of the loft.

Eugene M. Duke of Company 22 became entangled in the hose while ascending a ladder. He fell thirty feet and sustained many bruises about the body. Others were overcome with smoke.

The fire was kept down below the third floor, but smoke traveled through the elevator shaft and up the stairs and made fighting in the third floor extremely dangerous.

The damage is estimated at $10,000 covered by insurance. One of the principal stockholders in the United company is E. C. Bosbyshell, son of the late W. F. Bosbyshell, who died last week.

KILLED OVER TRIFLE.

Christmas Jag and Quarrel Sends One Man to Eternity and Another to Jail.

Motives for murder have seldom been less trivial than that which brought death to Mike Metrijasiovich yesterday at the Sisters' Hospital.

Pete Siskovich stabbed him to death because Metrijasiovich objected to having his bow tie untied. Siskovich was celebrating Christmas. He was lonely so he did it in the usual way. It was because of his condition that he stopped Mike Metrijasiovich near the Cudahy Packing Company and passed words. Then Siskovich playfully untied Mike's bow tie.

Now that was both an insult and a destruction. Mike had spent many a clumsy and perspiring moment thrusting the ends of that tie into a bow that looked natty and natural.

When Pete twitched its edges and pulled it out Mike grew angry. He told Pete what he thought of him. They fought and Pete transfixed Mike's throat with a stiletto. Mike died in the hospital yesterday and a warrant for murder was issued for Pete.

GEORGE GIRL FOUND.

Living in Flat of Male Acquaintance. Both Arrested on Juvenile Charges to Be Investigated.

Eulah George, the 15-year-old girl who ran away from her home, No. 952 West Seventh street, a week ago last Saturday, leaving a note saying she was tired of alleged parental abuse, was found last night at 6 o'clock in a flat at No. 1246 South Hope street.

Two hours after her discovery, E. W. Kinney, a chauffeur, who rented the apartment, arrived home from his work of the day, and was arrested.

Kinney says that he met the girl on the day she left her home. She told him of her troubles, he says, and he took pity on her and offered her a room at his flat. She accepted and has been living there since.

Both the girl and Kinney state that they have not been living together at all, but the police are holding him on a charge of contributing to a juvenile delinquent. The girl is also held as an incorrigible.

The girl admitted, after questioning, that she has known Kinney for about a year. She met him at a dance hall. He is 32 years old. The pair were arrested by G. A. Horn of the Burns Detective Agency.

SLEEP-WALKER DISAPPEARS.

Scantily-Clad Girl Somnambulistically Leaves Bed Chamber and Fails to Come Back.

Goldie Thorp, sleep-walker, left her home, No. 431 Temple street, yesterday, clad in the scantiest drapery and in a trance. No word has since been received from her.

Goldie and her sister, Elsie, came from Santa Paula to visit her friend, Mrs. Earl Godfrey, with the hope that Goldie's health would be improved. The two girls were sleeping together when Goldie arose in one of her spells of sleep-walking, and went quietly out of the room. The sister has but the slightest recollection of the incident.

When the household arose for the day Goldie was missed, and diligent search throughout the day failed to locate her. She had her night garment and a blue coat about her. She had no shoes or stockings. The strange disappearance is being investigated by the police.

UNDELIVERED TELEGRAMS.

There are messages at the Western Union office for F. E. Lehman, J. R. Wren, W. R. Price, W. W. Hayne, Arthur Perkins, Hans Riez, T. R. Eastman, Mrs. C. E. Cotting, Dudley H. Norris, Norman Henrickson, Mrs. J. W. S. Brintnall, Dr. G. V. Goff, Mrs. Hugh Mclennan, Mrs. DeLong, Mrs. Horace Hill, P. S. Carr, J. P. Donovan, O. P. Hicks, Albert E. Wade, Mrs. L. Barry, Mrs. C. B. Parsons, Mrs. J. W. Hardy, Mrs. N. Knapp, G. W. Henderson, Macdonald Macguire (cable,) C. J. Baker, D. E. Riordan. At the Postal: Miss Alfrida, Nyberg, T. C. Bartholomae, A. O. Brown, Judge W. W. B. McInnes, Solco.

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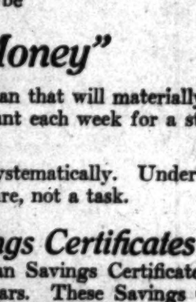

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She is Missing—Have You Seen Her?

Miss Joy Faucher,

In connection with whose unexplained disappearance from the city a warrant has been issued for Wallace Tompkins, a married man.

Fate?

ON TRAIL OF MISSING GIRL

Believed to Have Left With Married Man.

Web of Evidence Begun Six Months Ago.

Case of Miss Joy Faucher and Wallace Tompkins.

If Wallace W. Tompkins, for whom a warrant has been issued on the charge of contributing to the delinquency of Joy Faucher, a 16-year-old girl, is apprehended and convicted, those who believe in fate as a juggler of human destinies will have another bit of corroborative evidence to substantiate their claims.

On November 20, Joy Faucher, a bright-eyed, rosy-cheeked girl, left the home of her sister, Mrs. H. C. Moore, at No. 6326 Holmes avenue, and dropped out of sight as completely as though the earth had opened up and swallowed her.

On the same morning, Wallace Tompkins left his home on West Twenty-fifth street, after bidding his wife and 14-year-old daughter, Vera, an affectionate good-by, his supposed destination being Oklahoma City, where he expected to visit his brother. He has not been heard from since.

No one has been found who can testify to having seen the two leave the city together, yet fate, almost six months ago, had begun weaving the net of circumstances, which, if Tompkins is guilty, may be the means of convicting him.

Six months ago, Gene Nye, a private detective, who is a brother-in-law of Joy Faucher, met Tompkins while working on a check-kiting case. Nye, who was on the trail of a boiler-maker, visited the Rex machine works on South Main street and there was introduced to Tompkins, who was supervising the building of a motor which he had invented. Tompkins attempted to interest Nye in his motor.

WANTED A STENOGRAPHER.

Almost three months afterward Nye again met Tompkins and inquired regarding the motor business and was told that it was progressing and that he believed he would have to employ a stenographer to handle the inquiries that were coming in so fast.

"I think that sister-in-law of yours would be a good person to employ," said Tompkins, and Nye did not let Tompkins know that he was married until then that Tompkins and he were acquainted.

The day following Miss Faucher's disappearance her sister, Mrs. Moore, received a letter from the girl stating that she was going away and would never return. She said she was the happiest girl on earth and that the man she was with was the finest in the world. She said her brother-in-law knew the man and she could not bring herself to utter his name.

Then it was that Nye's mind reverted to the strange fact that Tompkins had said he knew Joy before the girl had ever spoken of the man to her relatives. Nye's first move was to visit Tompkin's home, and to see he was not surprised to find that the man had left the city. He learned that Tompkins had gone the same morning that Joy disappeared.

TOMPKINS NEEDED MONEY.

Mrs. Tompkins would not at first believe that her husband had left with another woman, but admitted that Tompkins had been badly pressed for money and had said he would go to Oklahoma City and obtain funds from his brother with which to pay his bills.

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The other little home is also sadly broken up, and Mrs. Tompkins, a sweet-faced woman, has taken in any kind of work she could secure on short notice, and is employed as housekeeper at No. 2911 Wesley avenue, where she is with her daughter, Vera.

Tompkins is described as tall and square-shouldered, with brown hair and a lean face. Miss Faucher is about five feet, four inches tall and very plump. Her friends say she is a decidedly cheerful disposition and that she never seemed to care for men.

THIS TIME IT'S SERIOUS.

After Lengthy Probation for Former Offense Girl Again Goes Shoplifting.

Louise Katharine Mogus, aged 18, and not at all perturbed over her difficulties, was arrested last night by Harris private detectives on a charge of shoplifting.

She had about her neck a gaudy black fox collarette valued at $15, which she had helped herself to in a downtown department store some time in the afternoon. She also produced a $15 ostrich plume which she acquired in the same place on the night before Christmas.

Miss Mogus is said to be a writer and scenario writer of some experience in shoplifting, the latter rather extended. She was arrested three years ago on the same charge and placed on probation for a year. Since concluding her probationary period she has been living in San Francisco, she says, but has been at home with her mother at No. 2911 South Pecan street for several months.

She was booked on a charge of petty larceny and will come up before Police Judge Chambers this morning. Her bail was fixed at $500, awaiting her trial on her first charge of shoplifting, she ate three hearty suppers in an attempt at suicide, but failed to work. She disclaimed any desire to repeat the performance.

TWO RINGS STOLEN.

The police are looking for a man who stole two diamond rings and a purse containing $2.40 from the home of E. M. Chapman, No. 823 West Twenty-seventh street. According to the report made by Chapman, the man entered opened a window and reached into the bedroom from the porch and helped himself to the two rings, worth $75 each, and the purse, by sliding them off the dresser top. The Chapman family was at dinner when the robbery took place.

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Evening Wedding.

Miss Winnie Dell Kimbrell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dan W. Kimbrell of this city, became the bride of Al G. Waddell last evening. The wedding was solemnized at the home of the bride's parents on East Twenty-third street, Rev. H. C. Waddell, father of the groom, officiating, and only members of the two families and Miss Anna Bee Johnson, who stood up with the bride, being present. Joseph Waddell, who is a senior at the San Diego Army and Navy Academy, stood up with his brother, and the bride's father gave her away. After the ceremony a dinner was served and later the young couple left in an automobile for the Hotel Virginia at Long Beach, where they are to remain a few days before going to San Diego.

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Shakespeare.

ROBERT MANTELL AS KING JOHN.

NOTABLE PRODUCTION OF A RARELY-SEEN DRAMA.

Fine Company Appears to Splendid Advantage—Mantell's Interpretation of the Part of King John Is Subtle and Searching Yet Frankly Free and Unmistakably Romantic.

BY ANTONY ANDERSON.

Because Robert Mantell has remained faithful to his highest artistic ideal, our gain is great.

Year after year this notable actor comes back to us with his repertory of Shakespearean plays, and on each occasion we find that he has given them, in the interim, more searching study, with the result that each performance outtops the one before in breadth of treatment, in subtlety, and in the beautiful appropriateness of its settings.

Mantell has always been frankly free and unmistakably romantic in his interpretations—which is the same as saying that he has the large vision. He gives us much color and movement, and of this, Shakespeare, master of the revels, would certainly approve could he see it. But under the color and movement Mantell sees life in its more subtle aspects, he plucks the heart from each man's mystery—be he Hamlet or Lear, Richard or Shylock.

"King John," it has been stated, and perhaps with authority, has not been seen in this country for forty years. Our luck is with us, then, for it was in "King John" that Mantell opened, last night, his week's engagement at the Majestic Theater. The play has been remarkably well cast, Mantell being King John; Thais Lawton, Constance; Genevieve Reynolds, Queen Elinor; Genevieve Hamper, Arthur.

This is one of the most interesting of Shakespeare's historical plays—a mighty quarrel among kings and queens—a dazzling pageant of blood and war. The wonder is that it is not given stage presentation oftener, for it has some fine dramatic climaxes, is eminently actable, and is a great favorite with students of Shakespeare.

Mantell's King John, which is also the King John of Shakespeare and history, is bluff, reckless, passionate and ambitious, with dark moments of crafty cunning. Though a usurper, he is every inch a king, winning the loyalty of two such dissimilar men as Hubert de Burgh and Philip the Bastard. In the scene between the King and Hubert, Mantell shows himself to be a master of subtle facial expression. And he gives tragic pathos to the sordid death of him who "was a king and now is clay."

Thais Lawton was once known and admired here as the best leading woman the Belasco stock company ever had. Therefore the beauty of her acting in the part of the unhappy Constance does not come as a surprise. Miss Thais is dowered with classic physical beauty, a golden voice, and with rare artistic intelligence. She has fostered her artistry, made it more rich, and it is good to know that she is using her rare gifts in the service of the best. She was given applause that amounted to an ovation last night—and she deserved it.

Equally good is the Queen Elinor of Miss Reynolds, though the part has not Constance's opportunities for poignant emotion. But the dignity and conscious power of that dauntless old queen could hardly be bettered.

As an actor Fritz Leiber is always delightful, always intelligent, and as Philip, that good-natured adventurer, he is at his best—but his big voice, as usual, carries him out of the picture. Leiber is so vital that he kills all around him, or at least puts 'em in the shade.

The play of "King John" is beautifully staged. "Hamlet" will be given tonight.

Some Baby.

GABY DESLYS IS DAZZLING.

WONDERFUL COSTUMES BRING GASPS FROM AUDIENCE.

Girl Who Cost a King His Throne Is Clever Singer and Dancer; Has Personality and Original Ideas Which Make Her Winner on Own Merits.

BY GARDNER BRADFORD.

In France they call Gaby Deslys "Gabrielle of the Lilies." Surely a tiger lily then, or mayhap an orchid she must be, or some fiery, passionate hothouse plant for which there is no other name than Gaby.

Last night at the Auditorium we sat and gasped, craned our necks, and speculated on what new wonders were to be brought forth, what daring, bizarre garb would next bedeck this tawny-haired sprite who made a monarch dance to her siren song.

Of course, the first desire is to see Gaby. One can't help wondering what sort of a girl it is a King, who may pick and choose, likes best.

She is no wondrous beauty, this Gaby Deslys. In shop-girl attire you would find a million American girls who look like her. She is blonde, decidedly so, slender, yet athletic.

And there the resemblance to an ordinary girl ends, for Gaby has that greatest of stage assets—personality. It fairly radiates from her, in the sparkle of her eyes, the ginger in her steps, in the petulance of those transitory moments when someone else dominates the stage.

Did I say dominate? That is hardly the word, for Gaby Deslys is ever dominating, whether in action or repose. She fascinates, holds her audience, and plays with it. Originality is in forte, and in every line of her costumes one traces the caprice and whimsicalities which have made her the highest-priced star on the American stage today.

It can truthfully be said for Gaby that even without the notoriety, which makes lurid her name, she would be well worth seeing. All she needed was the opportunity which that same notoriety made possible.

But it is Gaby's gowns which make the show. They are weird and wonderful. Too frank for the most part to be sensuous or suggestive, too bizarre to be practical, too abbreviated to stand draught.

She might well be called the Valeska Suratt of France, for in costume at least there is a kinship.

I doubt if even a woman would attempt to describe these costumes or the wealth of jewels with which they are adorned. Certainly I won't. As Kitty Gordon, sitting in a box with Oliver Morosco, remarked: "They are simply dazzling, and words can't describe them."

Imagine, if you can, a scant creation of gold stuff, fluttering over a foundation of white cloudy, or again, one all silver spangles. Then there is another which, from waist to knees, reminds one of the smooth, sleek sides of some fish, so close does it fit.

She looks stunning in all of them, even when all color combinations are defied, and purple tries its best to swear at lavender. Then, too, there is that famous tigerskin coat, which is like nothing else that costumer ever designed, and another all satin and fur, as unserviceable as it is exotic.

The show? Of course, there is a show, a breezy play with a plot, and more kissing than we had in "Alma." In this Harry Pilcer, Gaby's dancing partner, shines, and so, too, does Fritzi von Busing, pretty as a picture, sweet of voice, and in her Quaker gray an admirable foil for Gaby's peacock raiment.

At the Mason.

MRS. FISKE IS A REAL STAR.

SHINES BRIGHTLY OUT OF A POOR VEHICLE.

Play Runs Two Acts Longer Than Is Necessary, but Mrs. Fiske's Part Gives Her an Opportunity to Show Talent of the Highest Order—Fast Matrimonial Adventures.

BY HENRY CHRISTEEN WARNACK

An incomparably beautiful and clever woman in an unfortunate play is the way I should describe Mrs. Fiske in "The High Road," at the Mason.

To me "The High Road" is an unnecessary evil.

You cannot elect a man and marry him in three acts, and then put him on the rack for two more acts of torture.

That is what this play undertakes to do.

If the hero could have his wife's name under threat and shadow while he is courting her and permit himself to be placed in danger of political blackmail and have his election jeopardized in three acts, bringing all this to head in one climax, with a happy ending, in which the truth would triumph and the band play on, this would be an acceptable offering.

It is all right as a picture of life if it did not undertake to splash itself all over a somewhat broken landscape, instead of cheerfully confining itself to a decent sized canvas. The best play in the world cannot come to a climax and then continue. No amount of fresh angles and new situations will sustain its interest beyond certain logical and happy periods in the lives of the characters. It is a strain that the emotions of no audience need be expected to stand, and which the brain of no playwright can get away with.

Of course, "The High Road" is full of big things or such a wonderful woman would never have accepted it, but it ought to be rewritten to fit the logic of life and to conform to the rules of art as far as art can be regulated by the demands of reason.

As a vehicle to express the superb genius of this lovely woman the play leaves little to regret. Mrs. Fiske's role contains all the lights and shadows of a nature both strong and delicate, the part she glorifies also possesses that rare quality of the suppressed and the feverish, like a great sun struggling to burst through clouds that resist, but that inevitably yield.

The first part, for the piece is divided into parts and not acts, is at the farm of Silas Page, near Milford Corners, in Rensselaer county, New York. There is an oak with its dead leaves cluttering the yard, and showering about an old well with its oaken bucket, and moss-turquoised platform. The time is twilight and a poisonous old varmint of a father occupies the doorstep with his stubborn person and bad disposition. Then there is a villain, who possibly knows the English language, but who fails to speak it in the first part so that any one else in the world could understand it. You know that he is a villain by his evil atmosphere and laughter, and because he breaks up a bird's nest. The audience is warned not to trust him because he robs a hummingbird's nest, but the girl isn't. She walks right off with him into the dark with the rising moon getting tangled up with the afterglow on the shining waters of a little slow-moving creek, which divides the meadows of her father's farm into two green wings of peace.

In the next part they are having the big bust-up in their wonderfully-appointed flat in New York City. She has suddenly realized, by reading books on socialism and by taking an occasional glimpse into her own heart, that she has been in love with love and not with him. She is not resentful, not regretful, not worried over the right or wrong of it, but just facing with open-eyed acceptance all that is a part of her making. Like a person awakening from sleep she arouses herself to meet the changes in her own understanding and faces the need of living to herself that she may the better live for others. It is going out into the night alone, which in real life women often do, to the neglect of the man she might bring along with her. This man turned out to be a powerful enemy of society, when she might as well have made him its friend. He was as much worth the saving as were the girls in the shirt factory to which she went.

She works eighteen years for an eight-hour law for women and then marries the Governor who signed the bill and who was her girlhood friend on the farm. She tells him her past beforehand, which wasn't perhaps necessary for the comfort of either of them. It is dangerous to trust the generosity and spiritual sight which most men do not possess.

Then her husband runs for President on a platform of eight hours for women and other things, and the villain walks into the play at the head of the tobacco trust to kill the plank about woman labor if he has to expose the lady in doing so.

Of course men do not defeat Presidents by digging up the twenty-three-years-old past of a country girl, not even in our most polite tobacco trust circles. They would not, if for no other reason than that killing them would be such a pleasure.

Anyway, the lady is clever enough to tell the simple truth and to meet the proposition with a counter threat to expose the tobacco magnate, which is quite enough to squelch him.

Debut.

WELL EQUIPPED YOUNG ARTIST.

BLANCHE KAPLAN IN HER FIRST CONCERT.

Long and Difficult Programme Given by Youthful Artiste of Charming Personality and Great Talent—People's Chorus Rendition of "The Messiah."

BY HECTOR ALLIOT.

Blanche Lillian Kaplan made her first appearance here in piano recital yesterday evening at the Gamut Club Theater.

Statements from Lhevinne, Bauer and Mrs. Zeisler had preceded her appearance, but I was not prepared for the finished artistry which she displayed.

She appeared in a simple white gown and her hair streaming down her back; the picture of a normal young woman.

When she sat at the piano and played, without score, a long and difficult programme, she showed a fine musical equipment, a delightful, simple and earnest method, a careful technique, acquired by constant and thoughtful training and painstaking application.

Her programme was interesting, technical, entertaining: Prelude and fugue in E minor of Mendelssohn, the "Waldstein Sonata" in three movements by Beethoven, and selections from Handel, Rameau-Godowsky, Brahms, Moszkowski, Liszt and Chopin's "Scherzo Op. 54, No. 4."

Endowed with splendid health, an intense desire to work and perfect herself, Blanche Kaplan, after a few years of European training, should be able to worthily enter the ranks of California's best pianists.

People's Chorus.

At the splendid performance of Sunday afternoon, when "The Messiah" oratorio was given by the People's Chorus and the People's Orchestra, I noticed a great number of new faces in the chorus.

Inquiring from a member of the board of directors of the Music Teachers' Association, I was told in answer to my admiring query as to the quality of tone and ensemble of the rendition: "It is due to the presence of thirty members of the First Methodist Church choir, who have come to assist."

Coming from such a source and that spontaneously and since thirty would represent a large percentage of the chorus and explained the presence of new faces, I readily accepted the statement as true.

A correspondent informs me the assistance was not worthy of mention, being limited to an extra soprano, five altos, a few basses and a few tenors.

The excellent rendition of "The Messiah" justly belongs therefore to the People's Chorus and to it only.

This correction is all the more cheerfully done, because "credit to whom credit is due" is the motto of this column.

Death of Dr. Perkey.

Dr. Samuel Perkey, 75 years old, died yesterday at No. 1932 South Hobart boulevard. He came to Los Angeles one year ago from Cleveland for his health. He retired from the active practice of his profession several years ago. Mrs. Perkey was with him at the time of death.

Theaters—Amusements—Entertainments.

HAMBURGER'S MAJESTIC THEATER— Broadway, Near 8th.
TONIGHT AND ALL THIS WEEK—WILLIAM A. BRADY PRESENTS
Matinee Wednesday. Special Mat. New Year's. Matinee Saturday. ROBT. MANTELL Wed. Mat. 25c to $1. New Year's & Sat. Mat. 25c to $1.50. Nights 50c to $2
TONIGHT—"HAMLET;" TOMORROW MAT.—"MERCHANT OF VENICE;" WEDNESDAY NIGHT—"MACBETH;" SPECIAL NEW YEAR'S MAT.—"RICHELIEU;" THURS. NIGHT—"KING LEAR;" FRIDAY NIGHT AND SATURDAY MATINEE—"KING JOHN;" SATURDAY NIGHT—"RICHARD III."

Two Weeks, Beginning Next Mon., Jan. 5th
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Seats on Sale Thursday, January 1st

LOS ANGELES' Newest & Most Beautiful Playhouse—
MOROSCO BROADWAY, DEC. 7th & 8th STS. MATINEES TUES.-SAT. & SUN.
Broadway, Between 7th and 8th Streets. Phones Main 971, Home A5242.
Seats For Three Weeks in Advance Go On Sale This Morning at 9 a. m.
THE SEASON'S SMASHING MUSICAL COMEDY SUCCESS
WILLIAM ROCK & MAUDE FULTON
with 70 merry associates in the phenomenal hit
"The Candy Shop"
POPULAR PRICES: Nights 25c, 50c 75c and $1. Matinee Thursday, Saturday and Sunday 25c, 50c and 75c.

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Second and Last Crowded Week
YOUR LAST CHANCE TO SEE THIS BIG DRAMATIC HIT
The Burbank stock company presents for the second crowded week, their mammoth and elaborate production of Edward Peple's thrilling and romantic drama of love and war.
"The Littlest Rebel"
The finest dramatic success since "The Girl of The Golden West." Popular Burbank Prices: Nights 25, 50 and 75 cents. Matinee 25 and 50 cents. GET YOUR SEATS NOW.

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The Big Sullivan & Considine 1914
ROAD SHOW
WITH EVANS AND HARRIS' "BOWER OF MELODY," THE THREE CELEBRATED EMERSONS IN "FUN IN A SWIMMING POOL" AND SEVEN OTHER EQUALLY NOTABLE ALL-STAR ACTS.
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Daring and Sensational Story of Heathen Gods and Lovers.
Barefoot, Classic and Oriental Dances
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HIPPODROME EVERY SEAT And There Are 3000 10c
Be Sure Not to Miss HERBERT CLIFTON
Mat. 2:30. Nights 6 to 11. Cont. Thurs. 1 to 11 p.m.

MASON OPERA HOUSE— CHARLES FROHMAN, KLAW & ERLANGER, Lessees. W. T. WYATT, Manager.
Broadway, Bet. 1st and 2d. TONIGHT—MATINEES NEW YEAR'S—SATURDAY
EVES. at 8:15 | MRS. FISKE in THE HIGH ROAD | MATS. at 2:15
COMING—MAY IRWIN IN "WIDOW BY PROXY."

WEIRD SIGHTS AT CAWSTON OSTRICH FARM
South Pasadena—see birds that kick like mules, run like Dan Patch, swallow oranges whole—and lay eggs as big as sandbags! Round trip including admission, 25c. South Pasadena cars on Main street. Tickets at P. E. depot or at Cawston's, 723 Broadway.

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Positively the last word in jungle pictures de luxe.

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THE LATEST KEYSTONE COMEDY AND OTHER MUTUAL FAVORITES.

On New Year's week vaudeville bills.

At the left are Lewis and McCarthy, a snappy team which is scoring heavily at the Orpheum, while the center picture is Myrtle Souders of Belding and Souders, at Pantages. At the right is Louise Mayo, one of the stars of the Empress Road Show.

Cities and Towns South of Tehachepi's Top—Los Angeles County News.

Pasadena.

EXPLORER IS SAFE ON LAND.

Leffingwell Writes to Parents from Flaxman Island.

Blazing New Trail to Unique Mountain Hotel.

Crown City Commissioner Issues Proclamation.

PASADENA, Dec. 30.—Word has been received at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Leffingwell, parents of Ernest DeKoven Leffingwell, the Arctic explorer, concerning whom considerable uneasiness has recently been felt, that he is safe on Flaxman Island. This island is 200 miles from Point Barrow, on the north coast of Alaska, and is the point for which he set out when he left Pasadena last spring.

The news of his safe arrival there, despite his failure to get a letter to his parents sooner and despite the numerous rumors that the party with which he set out was in great danger, if not lost, came in the form of a letter that he sent to Ft. Yukon in Alaska by messenger, and which was mailed at that place.

In his letter Leffingwell says that the crews of the Mary Sachs and the Alaska, two of the ships of the Stefansson expedition, with which he went north, are safe and in camp but thirty miles distant from him. This expedition is going in search of land north of Alaska, but Leffingwell will remain on Flaxman Island and complete the geological and geographical surveys on which he has been working for over four years. He announces his intention to return home next summer, if possible.

When the explorer left Pasadena last spring it was with the intention of making a quick trip back to Flaxman Island, pick up instruments that he had left behind when he came home the fall before, complete a few details of his surveys and return home last fall. He expected to be able to arrive in Pasadena sometime in November.

A NOVEL HOTEL.

A new and important trail is to be constructed in the Arroyo Seco this winter which, with the completion of a new and unique hotel at Switzer's Camp, work on which is now nearly done, will comprise extensive improvements there.

The trail is to be a shorter and more direct route to Switzer's Camp from the bottom of what is termed the Zig-zag, a trail by which the trip is made from the lower to the upper arroyo. It will be a mile and a quarter long and will leave the zig-zag soon after the foot and join it on the last shoulder over which it passes.

Besides giving easier access to Switzer's and the other camps in the Arroyo Seco, it will afford the forest rangers better passage to and fro and will open up a new area to trail travel, and thus increase the protection against fire. The work of grading it will probably be done by the United States forest rangers under the direction of Forest Supervisor Charlton and the brush will be cleared away by L. B. Austin, the owner of Switzer's Camp.

The new hotel that Austin has erected is built of stone and logs and is artistic and unique. It is constructed right over one of the largest boulders in the arroyo. This boulder will project through the floor on the main room to a height of about four feet and with area on top about eight feet across. A small railing will be constructed about the edge of it, as well as steps to lead up to it.

To one side of the boulder will be the largest fireplace in the mountains about Pasadena.

ISSUES PROCLAMATION.

City Commissioner Metcalf yesterday issued the following proclamation:

"Custom does not require of the Mayor a proclamation with regard to New Year's Day, but at the beginning of the new year it seems appropriate that our attention should be directed with special force to those simple relationships and virtues upon which the soundness of all social organization must depend. In our intricate industrial and commercial organization the importance of the factory and the workshop and the hours of labor and the daily wage become of such pressing concern as to overshadow the more fundamental and primary relation of life. A wholesome society rests upon a sound family relation, and neither wages nor hours of labor, nor the cost of living can long matter much unless those who are to work and are to live have sympathy and honor and love in their private lives, making them worthy as citizens.

"In city life especially the family life tends to be scattered by divergent interests and one great agency for combating the perils of city life must be a strengthening of the family relation. We must draw father and son closer together in their hours of relaxation and provide amusement for the daughter and the mother from a common and wholesome source.

"I therefore take great pleasure in responding to the invitation of those who have interested themselves in the father and son movement and pointing out to the people of Pasadena the social value and the high consequences for sound morality involved in their undertaking. The quality of fatherhood and sonship is such that both inspiration and restraint flow from each to the other and if we can as a city people begin the new year with a resolve that our sons shall be more our companions and our fathers more our comrades it will add both to the sweetness of our private life and to the value of our citizenship."

FINE NEW WING.

Many Pasadenans yesterday afternoon viewed the new wing of the Nurses' Home of the Pasadena Hospital, made possible by a legacy of the late Mrs. Amanda Wright. The wing contains twenty-six rooms and a large sleeping porch.

In the receiving line were the women of the hospital board, who constitute a special committee for the training school. They are: Mrs. George Ellery Hale, Mrs. A. Moss Merwin, Mrs. Robert J. Burdette, Mrs. William Nash and Mrs. Helena Childs.

Hotel Vista del Arroyo, Pasadena. —[Advertisement.

BODIES ARE RECOVERED.

Men Who Lost Their Lives in Rough Sea Near Newport Beach Are in the Morgue.

SANTA ANA, Dec. 29.—The bodies of George Hutchinson, No. 3640 Stephenson avenue, Los Angeles, and Leal McLaughlin of Newport Beach, who lost their lives early this morning in the surf near Dana's Point, are in a local morgue.

The men were members of a party of twenty-seven which chartered a launch at Newport Beach last night for a trip to Dana's Point, where a dinner was enjoyed on the strand, after which abalone shells were gathered.

The men were transported from the big launch to the shore in a rowboat, and when the time to go home arrived a heavy surf was lashing the shore. Seventeen of the men were safely transported to the launch, and the last load of ten men was about half way to the larger craft when the rowboat foundered. Hutchinson and McLaughlin were unable to reach the shore, and Thomas Mane would have been drowned but for the heroism of two of his companions, who risked their lives to assist him.

McLaughlin was a man of considerable wealth who has lived several years in Newport Beach. Hutchinson has been a resident of Los Angeles only a short time.

BAND IS INVITED.

Pomona Musicians Will Take Part in the New Year's Parade at Pasadena—News Briefs.

POMONA, Dec. 29.—The Pomona High School band, which is directed by H. M. Kile, has accepted an invitation from Manager Davis of the Pasadena Tournament of Roses to participate in the Pasadena celebration on New Year's Day in entertaining the crowds. The Pasadena management of the tournament has guaranteed the expenses of the young bandsmen, and has promised a royal time. The band is proving a great advertisement for this city.

NEWS BRIEFS.

The death of Mrs. Walton, wife of Dr. J. C. Walton, occured at the family home in the Lincoln Park tract yesterday after a lingering illness. The deceased was a member of Pilgrim Congregational Church and had numerous friends here. She came to Pomona for her health with her husband several years ago.

The funeral of the late Thomas Osborne will be held at the family home in Palm Place Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock. The deceased was 55 years old and was former proprietor of the Chino Creamery.

Principal H. P. Reynolds of the local High School is convalescing from a threatened attack of pneumonia at his home on San Bernardino avenue. He has been working very hard over school duties lately.

Because of the fact that the City Council at a recent meeting deferred the time for the final payment of city taxes to Saturday, February 28, they did not become delinquent tonight, as would have ordinarily been the case. The extension was granted, as there is sufficient money in the treasury to run the municipality during January and February. The action has accommodated many here.

This city is expending, under the direction of Street Superintendent Baker, $2000 in improving the condition of Alexander avenue north from Holt avenue to the Claremont city limits. A center strip sixteen feet wide will be paved with decomposed granite and will then be heavily rolled and oiled. The Street Superintendent figures on putting Alexander avenue within the limits described in excellent condition for 35 cents per lineal foot.

WILD BUILD AT WHITTIER.

Standard Oil Company Announces Its Decision to Construct an Office Building.—Bank for La Habra.

WHITTIER, Dec. 29.—The Standard Oil Company will erect an office building here soon. Representatives of the company closed a deal for property on Penn street, near Greenleaf avenue, last week. A representative of the company stated that fine offices are contemplated and that a large office force will be maintained here. The recent purchase of the Murphy lease by the Standard and the splendid development of the Emery lease make the local field an important one.

BANK FOR LA HABRA.

La Habra will have a bank. This is definitely decided. At a meeting held at the La Habra schoolhouse last Saturday evening, steps were taken that assure a strong financial institution at this growing center of that fertile valley. The prime mover in the new bank is John H. Cox of this city, a recent arrival from Indiana, and an experienced banker. The new institution will be called the Golden State Bank of La Habra, and its directorate will include W. L. York, F. E. Proud, John H. Cox, John Leuim, Oscar Baidwin and Lowell W. Cox. The stock has been subscribed largely by La Habra men.

Venice.

DEVASTATION IS CONTINUED.

TIDES DOING GREAT DAMAGE AT VENICE.

Destruction of Concrete Walk and Bulkhead Leaves Valuable Property at the Mercy of the Relentless Breakers—Several Houses Threatened by Tidal Activity.

VENICE, Dec. 29.—Showing no signs of abatement, high tides continued to wreak serious damage on ocean front property here today. Although the ocean was in a calm mood, the cutting ground swell continued to eat the foundation out from under residences on the beach. Tons of sand were carried away from valuable ocean front lots out to sea. Two or three houses are at present at a point when at any time they may be precipitated into the ocean. It is feared that another high tide and ground swell similar to the one of today will pitch these dwellings into the sea.

With $60,000 worth of concrete walk and bulkhead wrecked, the shore line for over a mile is practically at the mercy of the waves.

Alarmed at the strange antics of Neptune, the fish that usually swarm around the pier in great numbers have suddenly departed, causing a fish famine in the bay district. It is thought that the fish have sought deeper water until the tides resume their normal conditions.

NEWS BRIEFS.

Miss Agnes Nichols, aged 27, died at St. Catherine's Hospital today from injuries received in an automobile accident at Fredericks Christmas night. Miss Nichols was the daughter of a Calgary (Can.) merchant. She was riding in an automobile with Mr. and Mrs. James Kreuger of No. 5601 South Main street, Los Angeles, when the accident occurred. A Pacific Electric car hit the machine at the crossing at Fredericks Station. Seriously injured, Mr. and Mrs. Kreuger are still confined to the local hospital.

Succumbing to burns received when he fell against a stove last Wednesday, James O. Craine died at St. Catherine's Hospital today. Craine was a retired contractor and builder, and owned considerable property in Santa Monica. He is survived by a daughter, Mrs. W. G. Furman, of Los Angeles.

REDONDO BEACH.

REDONDO BEACH, Dec. 29.—A New Year's Eve dance will be held in the pavilion Wednesday evening and continued until 1914 arrives. Special arrangements have been made by Manager B. A. Minor for an appropriate celebration of the birth of the new year. At the new cafe on El Paseo, known as Max's place, a number of private parties will celebrate the birth of the new year. A number of surprises have been planned by the manager for midnight and entertainers will make the evening gay.

Ludy Langer, the well-known champion swimmer, who is home on his vacation from Berkeley; Fred Teschke, the U.S.C. athlete, and Cliff Bowes of Los Angeles, all former well-known swimmers of this beach, were here today swimming in the tank, and riding surf boards in the ocean in a way typical of a regular summer day at the beach.

El Centro.

CONDEMNATION PROCEEDINGS.

Imperial Valley Water Concern Starts Fight.

Southern Pacific Dilatory, Declare the Plaintiffs.

Able Attorneys to Carry Matter Through Courts.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

EL CENTRO, Dec. 29.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The directors of the Imperial irrigation district decided to institute condemnation proceedings against all California Development Company holdings north of the international line, at their meeting held in district headquarters today.

At a meeting of the board, held in El Centro December 20, it was decided to take immediate action in the face of adverse decisions handed down by Judge Myers in the case of an appeal for a writ of mandate by the Imperial Land Company and associated interests, referring the last assessment of the district of $25,000 to a referendum election by the people.

President Hamilton of the district board, requested Attorney Herrin of the Southern Pacific Company to take the matter up with President Sproule of the same company, while the latter was in San Francisco, and was assured of an immediate proposal in regard to the terms demanded by the Southern Pacific for their claims against the California Development Company. December 26 was set as the day of which the railroad's offer was to be placed before the district directors, and on its failure to appear, a three-day grace was given at the request of Herrin.

At their meeting on December 20, the directors informally decided to proceed with a condemnation suit, if a favorable offer was not received from the Southern Pacific immediately. Accordingly, when nothing more tangible than a telegram from Sproule, assuring them that he did not feel able to act on so momentous a question without first consulting the Executive Committee of the company was to be had to work on, the directors instructed the attorney for the district to proceed with condemnation suit as soon as he is able to procure the necessary data.

The best legal adviser possible will be secured to handle the suit for the district. Among those being considered is Jack Eshleman, president of the State Railroad Commission.

GIFT TO AVALON.

Freeholders' Association Directors Decide to Hand Wharf Over to the Municipality, Recently Formed.

AVALON, Dec. 29.—At a meeting of the board of directors of the Freeholders' Improvement Association, held today, the board voted to pass the title of the pleasure wharf over to the city and thereby make the wharf a municipality property instead of a private concern. It is believed that this change will meet with the approval of the Banning Company, which owns 90 per cent. of the city of Avalon.

If the wharf is accepted by the Board of Trustees, it is planned to vote a bond issue for the sum of $20,000 for the erection of a new pleasure wharf suitable for handling freight and passenger service. Concessions of all descriptions will be granted. The locker space used by the boatmen will be limited to twenty lockers. The present locker space used by the boatmen will accommodate forty lockers, but as many of the fishermen who rent lockers only do so for two months of the season, it is thought that the new plan will be satisfactory. A percentage or flat rate will be charged for each passenger landed at the wharf from boats crossing from the mainland. The matter will be decided at the board meeting, January 2.

ELSINORE.

ELSINORE, Dec. 29.—William Burgess, a veteran of the Civil War and a member of the T. B. Stevens Post here, died Saturday afternoon. He was 71 years of age and was born in Missouri in 1842. A widow and a stepson survive him. The funeral will be held at the home Tuesday morning at 10 o'clock. With his wife he had resided in Elsinore for 25 years.

The Elsinore Woman's Club will hold their New Year's reception this year at the home of Mrs. A. S. Burnham.

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GIRL FOUND AT LORDSBURG.

Ontario Miss Who Left Home Without Warning Is Located After a Week's Search.—News Briefs.

ONTARIO, Dec. 29.—Wilma Arnett, the 16-year-old daughter of Mrs. Luvena Arnett, who disappeared from this city Friday noon, and for whom volunteer posses in automobiles searched all yesterday afternoon without result, is today at her mother's home. Miss Arnett was recognized on the streets of Lordsburg last night by Henry Busha, a local phoographer, who secured her address from an elderly woman with whom she was walking and notified her widowed mother of her whereabouts.

At the Arnett home today there was great rejoicing. Miss Arnett, whom doctors called today say is on the verge of a nervous breakdown and must be given absolute quiet, gives as her only reason for leaving home an all-compelling desire to get up and go. Her mother declares the girl has been suffering from nervous troubles for some weeks. The doctors have ordered her to discontinue her high school studies.

In her wanderings Wilma wandered through Chino and Pomona and, arriving at Lordsburg, decided to seek employment. She applied to Mrs. Mary Johnson, No. 208 West Sixth street, and was given a position. It was while walking with Mrs. Johnson that Busha, who had recently photographed the girl in his studio here, saw and recognized her.

NEIGHBORLY AMENITIES.

The scene of a fight over the alleged depredations of some chickens, between two aged Chino residents, was left strewn with human teeth and blood, and as a result of the fisticuff, F. N. Graham and Lafayette Robertson were haled before Recorder Decker the former fined $5 and the latter given a lecture. Robertson is said to have accused Graham's chickens of ruining his garden, whereupon Graham took off his coat and proceeded to scatter Robertson's molars and blood about the street. They were arrested by Marshal W. C. Milam. Both men are over 60 years of age.

Santa Ana.

LITERARY IDOL IS SHATTERED.

SAN JUAN CAPISTRANO MAN COPIED HIS STORIES.

Frankly Admits that He Took Stories from Magazines Several Years Old and Sold Them to Frank Munsey of New York—Supervisors and Triplet Problem.

SANTA ANA, Dec. 29.—In his home town, R. L. Patterson's standing as an author and magazine writer has been shattered, and the secret of his success is bared. The stories that Patterson sold were those copied word for word out of old magazines.

Patterson is a telegraph operator and assistant in the Santa Fe depot at San Juan Capistrano. For some months he has been showing his friends some of his stories, and on one occasion he displayed a $100 check that was received by him from a magazine. The mission valley residents were beginning to look upon Patterson as a genius.

A few days ago District Attorney West began getting telegrams from a firm of New York attorneys representing the Munsey publications. Their inquiries were all for information concerning Patterson, an author, and it was not until the attorneys let the District Attorney into the inside facts in the case that he made any inquiry. When a wire finally came saying that Patterson last August sold the Munsey Company a story entitled "The Last Man of Boot Acre," and that now another man claims the authorship, Deputies Koepsel and Eden went from the District Attorney's office to San Juan Capistrano.

Patterson was very frank about his method, and was not at all impressed with the idea that he might be prosecuted criminally for getting money under false pretenses, violating the copyright laws or using the mails to defraud. The suspicion of a smart grin veiled his features while he told the deputies his story.

"I copied a story that appeared in Everybody's Magazine in 1900, and sent it to Munsey's, and they sent me a check for $25," said he. "That is about all there is to it, I guess."

"Did you take the idea, and re-write the story," asked a deputy.

"No, I ttok it word for word."

"Including the title?"

"Yes, title and all, everything but the author's name. I have forgotten who did write it."

No action has been taken in the matter.

MORE TRIPLETS.

Tomorrow the Board of Supervisors is to be besieged with triplets. Two weeks ago $100 was voted to the boy triplets of Otto Summers, who lives near Tustin. That was done as an appropriation to a needy family in an emergency, and the supervisors disclaim that it was meant as a precedent. A story went out that the board had decided to offer a reward for triplets, provided they be all boys or all girls. There is nothing on the minutes to show it. Today a man named Baker from East Anaheim walked into County Clerk Williams' office and deposited a set of triplet girls on the counter, and demanded the county's reward. Williams said he did not know anything about the reward, and the matter would have to be taken up before the supervisors at a meeting tomorrow. Baker left, promising to return with the triplets tomorrow. The girls are aged 2 years and some months.

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Tonight Miss Janet Smart, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Smart of this city became the bride of Henry L. Thomson, a professor in the State Agricultural School at Stillwater, Okla. The couple became acquainted when attending Occidental College together. The groom is a brother of the world famous athlete, Fred Thomson, and the bride a sister of James Smart, former Occidental College football captain.

Today a check for $5000 was received by Mrs. Nellie J. Ulm from the New York Life Insurance Company as payment on the policy carried by N. A. Ulm, who committed suicide on November 19 after his books as secretary of the Orange County Mutual Buildinfg and Loan Association were taken from him by the State Commissioner. The money was paid on a term extension clause, the company having refused to accept a check for the 1913 premium mailed to the company on November 18. The premium was over-due, and the payment made by Ulm was not accompanied by a health certificate.

Mrs. Albert G. Waddell,

Who was married last evening, and who will be at home to friends in La Jolla after January 15.

SOCIETY.

(Continued from Seventh Page.)

Mr. and Mrs. Waddell will stop at the Grant for a few days upon their arrival at San Diego and take a house later at La Jolla for the rest of the school year.

The Kimbrell home was decorated with ferns and white roses. A large wedding bell was suspended over the spot where the bride and groom stood. The dining-room was also decorated in the same color scheme, green and white being carried out. The place cards were in the shape of wedding bells, with roses painted in water colors. The bride wore a suit of green velvet and carried a single white rose. This was given to the maid of honor immediately after the ceremony, and between the petals was concealed a dainty sapphire ring. The bride is a graduate of Los Angeles High School, the local normal school, and attended the University of Southern California for a semester. Waddell is from an old southern family, but is almost a Native Son, having come to Los Angeles with his family when a young school boy. He is well known in military and athletic circles both here and in San Diego, having been identified with the National Guard for some years.

For Miss Anderson.

Particularly attractive was the supper party planned by Mr. and Mrs. Philip H. Lyon last evening at their Alexandria, when they had as honor guest Miss Ruth Anderson, the betrothed of M. Clarence Mattinson of Gibson City, Ill. The supper followed a theater party at the Mason, with Mr. and Mrs. Waller Chanslor, Mr. and Mrs. William Howard Thomas, and the bridal party as guests. The table was a long affair with a centerpiece representing Gibson City in a snowstorm. The houses were lighted with the electric bulbs, and around the edge ran a small train, which stopped at each station. Mattinson will take his bride to Gibson City to live following the wedding, January 6.

For Mrs. Whitaker.

Mrs. Alma Whitaker has been complimented guest at a number of small parties during the last week, to celebrate her return from England and Russia. Mr. and Mrs. William Swift Daniell entertained with a dinner party at their home on Manhattan avenue on Saturday evening, when Mr. and Mrs. E. K. Foster, Mr. and Mrs. William Wendt, Mr. Ward and Miss Margaret Daniell were among those present. Mr. and Mrs. Hector J. Goudge and their daughter, Miss Agnes Goudge, also entertained with a luncheon for Mrs. Whitaker at the Alexandria on Monday. Mrs. Goudge herself will probably make a similar trip shortly to visit her sister, Mrs. Brevetor.

Home for School Vacation.

Miss Velma Potter, a student at Berkeley, is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Potter, at No. 222 Coronado street. Miss Potter is a junior at Berkeley, and will spend three weeks in this city.

Embroidery Club.

The "Jolly Nine" Embroidery Club met at the home of Mrs. E. Todd on Figueroa street recently. Members present were Mmes. Webb, Gibson, Jordan, Moore, Raymond, Mrs. Allen Knotts and Mrs. Katherine Rogers.

To San Francisco.

J. C. Coombs, Miss Edith Coombs and Manville Coombs of No. [illegible] West Twenty-fourth street, have gone to San Francisco, where they are the guests of their daughter and sister, respectively, Mrs. E. O. Eggerton, for ten days.

Surprise Party.

Mrs. A. Heliery of No. 164 West Seventy-ninth street was the victim of a surprise party given by her friends at her home. The guests were Mrs. George Allen, Mrs. J. C. Hunter, Mrs. Nettie Hoffman, Mrs. Maxwell and Mrs. Katherine Russell. During the afternoon several Alaska friends who are spending the winter in the city called in.

Club Members Entertained.

Invested with much charm was the luncheon given by Mrs. Cora Cook at her home, No. 2245 Brighton avenue, honoring the members of the Las Buenas Amigas Club. The table was aglow with deep red roses which placed around the rest of the room were yellow chrysanthemums. Special guests present were Mrs. L. F. Kelley of Minneapolis and Mrs. Stewart of Vancouver. The members entertained were Mrs. A. B. Wills, Mrs. M. A. Baird, Mrs. F. C. Bean, Mrs. H. S. Botsford, Mrs. F. N. Brown, Mrs. H. G. Carlisle, Mrs. William P. Clark, Mrs. H. Cogswell, Mrs. M. Couch, Mrs. S. G. Couch, Mrs. R. P. Dunlap, Mrs. C. H. Fairfax, Mrs. E. Gump, Mrs. E. M. Hill, Mrs. I. M. Huntsberger, Mrs. G. R. Hurdock, Mrs. A. J. C. Sannier, Mrs. R. Osborne, Mrs. C. A. Parmelee, Mrs. H. L. Schoeller, Mrs. B. F. Weden, Mrs. T. T. Woods, Mrs. J. H. Whittington, Mrs. R. Van Cleve, Mrs. E. E. Bean, Mrs. Alexander Burrus and Mrs. A. H. Flower.

Theater Party.

Mrs. Ralph Deming of No. [illegible] West Twenty-fourth street entertained a few friends informally recently with a theater party at the Mason. The guests included Mrs. Joseph Goldsmith, Mrs. E. Crowell, Mrs. G. W. Saurret and Mrs. [illegible] Chapman.

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Mrs. Hazzard came here Saturday, but was denied admission to the prison because her committment papers had not arrived. She waited in a hotel until they came.

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After Waiting Several Days at Walla Walla Hotel Fast-Cure Doctor Begins Her Sentence.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WALLA WALLA (Wash.) Dec. 29. Mrs. Linda Burfield Hazzard, the so-called starvation doctor, was admitted to the State Penitentiary here this afternoon to begin her sentence of from one to twenty years for manslaughter in connection with the death of Miss Alice Williamson in Kitsap county.

Mrs. Hazzard came here Saturday, but was denied admission to the prison because her committment papers had not arrived. She waited in a hotel until they came.

THE EXPECTED HAPPENS AGAIN.

Life Prisoner Out of a California Prison on Parole Is Reported to Have Violated It.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SACRAMENTO, Dec. 29.—Salter De Witt Worden, sentenced to life imprisonment for participating in wrecking a train of soldiers near Sacramento during the railroad strike of 1894, killing five, and since paroled, is reported to the State authorities as violating the terms of his parole in Japan.

Whiting S. Worden, brother of Salter and attached to the United State Consul's office in Yokohama, has reported the matter to the Governor and the State parole officials and asked his return to prison.

Worden is said to have taken to drinking and fast companions. His brother published in the Japan Advertiser and the Yokohama Ecekl that he would no longer be responsible for actions or debts. Worden was married to a Japanese woman, Mrs. Kavenaugh, the first week in October. He is believed to be of unsound mind.

DEATH IN LOVE TRYST.

Attorney for Fugitive Prisoner Killed Near Auburn Says Hughes Escaped to Meet Farmer's Daughter.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 29.—Relatives of Edward Hughes, the fugitive prisoner killed last Saturday by Deputy Sheriff Classen near Auburn, have retained counsel here to investigate his death. It developed today that John A. Hogan, his attorney, was in court at the hour Hughes was shot, expecting him to appear for sentence and ignorant that he had escaped from the County Jail the day before.

Hogan is awaiting instructions from the dead man's mother, Mrs. Alice Hughes, of Spokane, before he asks the grand jury of Placer county to look into the facts. Yesterday he telegraphed the Sheriff, the Coroner and the District Attorney of Placer county, asking that the inquest be delayed until he could appear on Wednesday. In reply he received a telegram today informing him that the inquest had been held, that the Deputy Sheriff had been exonerated and that the District Attorney was out of town and would not be back until after New Year's.

Hughes had worked for the Pacific Gas and Electric Company as an electrician. He was convicted of grand larceny in Templeton, San Luis Obispo county, and was to have been sentenced Saturday in the Superior Court by Judge Dunne. His attorney says he broke jail to keep a tryst with Valerie Warfield, a farmer's daughter, with whom he had been in love for a year. He was unarmed when shot.

AFTER REGENTS' SCALPS.

Gov. Lister Seeks the Resignation of Three More Officials at Washington State University.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SEATTLE (Wash.) Dec. 29.—Two of the regents of the University of Washington have sent their resignations to Gov. Lister, and he is seeking the resignations of three others. The Governor requested last Saturday Regents Alexander McEwan, F. A. Hazeltine, John C. Higgins and A. L. Rogers to resign because of their action in removing President Thomas F. Kane of the university from office in the middle of the college year. The other regents, John A. Rea and George H. Walker, acted in the removal proceedings with the four regents asked to resign.

Eldridge Wheeler, the seventh regent, had just been appointed to the board, and did not have a part in Kane's removal. Regent Hazeltine resigned yesterday. Regent Walker issued today a statement justifying his conduct, and sent his resignation to Gov. Lister. He declares it is impossible to serve longer on the board and preserve his self-respect. He says he was not requested to resign.

LACKS MONEY FOR TEST.

State Highway Commission Refuses to Construct Experimental "Good Road" Out of Its Funds.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SACRAMENTO, Dec. 29.—A request made by a good roads delegation today for the construction of an experimental road from the funds of the State Highway Commission, was met with refusal. The Highway Commission, however, indicated its willingness to build such a road if those interested financed the work. The commission informed the delegation comprising contractors, automobile men and road enthusiasts that it had apportioned its funds to build the proposed State highway system of 2700 miles with the $18,000,000 available from bonds, and that it could not finance the experimental road.

Commissioners Darlington and Blaney said the highway body would be glad to co-operate in the construction of an experimental road, but it could not expend more than it had already apportioned in any one section.

"The Highway Commission to build 2700 miles of the State system, is spending an average of $6300 a mile and it is getting the best value and results obtainable at that figure," the visiting delegation was told.

PENALTY OF SOCIALISM.

San Francisco Woman Commits Suicide After Her Daughter Leaves Her to Preach the Crank Doctrine.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SAN FRANCISCO BUREAU OF THE TIMES, Dec. 29.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Despondent over the disappearance of her daughter, Mrs. Louise Carsten, a Socialist leader, Mrs. Annette Chalmers, a widow in comfortable circumstances, committed suicide last night in her apartments by inhaling gas.

Mrs. Carsten left her home several months ago to preach socialism. She was heard of in Stockton selling Socialistic literature. Her husband followed her through the State, gaining information of her activity, but always a day behind.

Mrs. Chalmers formerly lived in Marysville and has two sons in the East, who are said to be wealthy. She was 57 years old.

Assurance.

PROHIBITION MEASURE WILL GO ON THE BALLOT.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SACRAMENTO, Dec. 29.—With the filing today of petitions from ten counties aggregating 25,693 names, the proposed law providing for total prohibition in the State of California will go on the general election ballot in 1914. The total number of names represented on the petitions is 41,045 or more than 10,000 more than is required under the law for an initiative measure. Los Angeles county alone sent in more than 25,000 names.

The measure, which the voters of the State will decide, prohibits the sale and manufacture of intoxicating liquors in the State of California except for medicinal and scientific purposes. It is one of the most drastic prohibition measures ever proposed in the United States, so it is said.

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FINANCIAL.

OFFICE OF THE TIMES.
Los Angeles, Dec. 29, 1913.

Bank clearings yesterday were $3,411,285.11, a decrease of $288,325.92, compared with the corresponding day last year, and an increase of $838,-927.65, compared with the corresponding day of 1911.

	1913.	1912.	1911.
Monday	$3,411,285.76	$3,699,721.08	$2,572,458.11

New York Money Market.

NEW YORK, Dec. 29.—[By A. P. Night Wire.] Call money easier, 3¼@6; ruling rate, 3½; closing bid, 3½@4; time loans weaker; sixty and ninety days, 4¾; six months, 4½@4¾; mercantile paper, 5½@6; sterling exchange steady; sixty days, 4.81 1-4; demand, 4.85 1-4; commercial bills, 4.80¾; bar silver, 57 5-8; Mexican dollars, 44½; government and railroad bonds irregular.

Drafts and Silver.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 29.—[By A. P. Night Wire.] Silver bars, 57¾; Mexican dollars, nominal; drafts, sight, 5; do., telegraph, 6.

Stocks and Bonds.

BEAR PRESSURE FAILS TO LAST.

OBSTINACY OF BULLS HOLDS SAGGING MARKET.

The Usual Uncertainty of the Money Market at the End of the Year Helps to Restrict Speculation and Realizing Sales Make Market Weak.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 29.—A reactionary tendency developed in the stock market today. Bear pressure was not applied steadily, however, and trading dragged much of the time. Only a few prominent shares were forced down as much as a point. The downward tendency of the market was influenced by realizing sales in stocks, which have made large gains recently, and by the especial weakness of individual stocks. Canadian Pacific dropped to 204, the lowest price in two years. New Haven was offered freely, and at one time sold 3½ below its best figure of the day. Sales of copper metal at 15 cents were reported here, and the metal markets abroad improved. The copper shares felt the stimulating effect of this change in the metal market for a time, but ultimately joined in the general movement. The uncertain outlook for money during the closing days of the year played a part in restricting speculation. Call loans were renewed at 3½ per cent., but later the rate rose to 6. Bonds were irregular. Wabash 4s jumped 3½ and some high-grade bonds were fractionally better. Total sales, par value, $2,150,000. United States 2s registered, 4s registered and Panama 2s registered advanced ¼ and Panama 3s registered ½ on call. United States 4s coupon declined ¼ and Panama 3s coupon ½.

Bond List.

[Furnished by Logan & Bryan, Members New York and Boston Stock Exchange, Bradbury Building, Los Angeles.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 29.—[Exclusive to The Times.] Closing quotations on the bonds:

	Bid.	Asked.
Atchison Gen. 4s	93⅞	93⅞
Atlantic Coast Line 1st 4s	90½	[illegible]
B. & O. Gold 4s	91	91¼
Brooklyn Rapid Transit 4s	87½	88
Chesapeake & Ohio 4½s	91⅞	92⅛
C. M. & St. Paul Gen. 4½s	100⅛	101
C. R. I. Col. 4s	59	59⅞
California Gas 5s	91½	92½
C. B. Q. Joint 4s	94⅝	95
Erie Gen. 4s	71½	71½
Int. Met. 4½s	75⅝	76
Louisville & Nashville Un. 4s	92	92⅛
Missouri Pacific 4s	....	62
N. Y. C. Gen. 3½s	81½	82
N. & W. 1st Con. 4s	93⅝	94
Northern Pacific 4s	92⅛	92⅛
Oregon Short Line Ref. 4s	89	89⅛
Pacific Tel. 5s	96⅞	96⅞
Pennsylvania Con. 4s	98⅞	100
Reading Gen. 4s	91⅛	91½
St. L. & San Francisco Fg. 4s	71	71½
Southern Pacific Ref. 4s	89	89½
S. P. Col. 4s	90½	91½
Southern Railway 5s	102½	102⅞
Southern Railway 4s	72⅞	73⅜
Un. Pac. 1st and Ref. 4s	90⅛	90⅞
U. S. Steel 5s	100	101⅛
West Shore 4s	91⅛	92
Wabash 4s	48	49
Westinghouse Elec. Conv. 5s	89	89½
Wisconsin Central 4s	85⅝	86

New York Curb Stocks.

[Furnished by E. F. Hutton & Co., Members New York Stock Exchange, 118 West Fourth street, Los Angeles.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 29.—The curb market was active, with a better tone in the mining issues. Oil stocks were irregular. Prarie Oil was strong and in good demand. Standard of California sold off in the early trading. Boston coppers opened quiet, with a general disposition toward shading prices. The volume of business was very small, however. Copper Range developed strength soon after the opening and on small lots rallied to 38⅞. Calumet and Arizona displayed rallying power. Granby was up a point on a few small sales. Other coppers were quiet. Copper metal for thirty-day delivery is quoted firm at 15 cents by leading agencies. There were good inquiries by consumers and a large movement may be looked for soon, with a possibility of further advances. The afternoon market was rather quiet and price changes were fractional. Following are closing quotations:

[illegible — curb stock quotation table (Anglo, Belmont, Braden Cop., British Col., Chi. Sub., Cluett P., Colorado, Con. Aris., Davis Daly, Dobie, Dolores, El Rayo, Ely Con., El Paso, Emerson, First Nat., Fraction, Florence, Giroux, Gold. Daisy, Greene Can., Hollinger, Halifax, Iron Blos., I. C. Rub., J. Butler, Jumbo Ex., Kerr Lake, Keystone, La Rose, L. V. Coal, Man. Shirt., Man. Tran., Marconi, Mason Val., Maya Oil, McK. Dar., Mines of A., Mont. Ton., Nipissing, Ohio Cop., Pac. Gas & E., San Toy, Sioux Con., Stewart, Tonopah, Tono. Ex., Tono. Mer., Tribullion, Tuolumne, Un. Cop., U. S. Light, W. Pac., W. End, Wettlaufer, Willys O., Yukon, N. Star, Br. Am., U. C. Stores, etc.)]

New York Oil Stocks.

[Furnished by E. F. Hutton & Co., Members New York Stock Exchange, 118 West Fourth street, Los Angeles.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 29.—Closing quotations:

[illegible — oil stock quotation table (Anglo-Amer., Atlantic, Borne S., Buckeye, C'brough, Colonial, Continental, Crescent, Cum'land, Eureka, Galena, Ind. Pipe, Nat. Tran., N. Y. Tran., N. Pipe, Ohio Oil, Prairie, Solar, S. Pipe, S. P. Oil, S. P. Pipe, S. Oil Cal., S. Oil Ind., S. Oil Kan., S. Oil Ky., S. Oil Neb., S. Oil N. Y., S. Oil Ohio, Swan & F., Union T., Vacuum, Wash'ton, Waters P., etc.)]

Salt Lake Stock Exchange.

[Furnished by E. F. Hutton & Co., Members New York Stock Exchange, 118 West Fourth street, Los Angeles.]

SALT LAKE, Dec. 29.—Closing bid and asked quotations:

[illegible — Salt Lake quotation table (Beck Tun., Black Jack, Colorado, Columbus, Grand Cent., Iron Blos., Little Bell, Lower M., May Day, Ohio Cop., Prince Con., S. K. Coal, Sioux Con., Tint. Cent., Uncle Sam, Utah Con., Vic. Con., Yankee Con., G. Chain, S. K. Con., etc.)]

NEW YORK LETTER.

FOREIGNERS FAVOR SELLING.

[Furnished by Logan & Bryan, Members New York and Boston Stock Exchange, Bradbury Building, Los Angeles.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 29.—Foreigners were disposed to favor the selling side and pressure particularly on Canadian Pacific together with some realizing by domestic holders, as well as scattered bear liquidation was responsible for quite a little irregularity during today's session. Call money was firm, but its strength did not exert much influence, as little attention is paid to high call rates in the last few days of the year. They are regarded, particularly at present, as being of a temporary character. The recent substantial recovery, which the list enjoyed apparently was attended by a moderate contraction in the short interest and the higher range naturally attracted some realizing of long stocks. The fact that the I.C.C. has been asked for additional data from the eastern roads in connection with the rate cases, was dwelt upon at length by those committed to the selling side, though it is questionable whether this development is to be regarded as having any distinct bearing on ultimate outcome of the rate matter.

NEW YORK STOCKS.

[Furnished by Logan & Bryan, Members New York and Boston Stock Exchanges, Bradbury Bldg., Los Angeles.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 29.—[Exclusive to The Times.] Following were the closing prices, sales and high and low quotations today:

[illegible — New York stock table (Sales, High, Low, Close Bid, Asked), from Atl. C. L. through Amalg. Cop., Amer. Can, Amer. Sugar, Amer. T. & T., Anaconda, A. T. & S. F., Balt. & Ohio, Beth. Steel, B. R. T., Canadian Pac., C. & O., C. M. & St. P., Erie, Gen'l Elec., Gt. Northern pfd., Ill. Central, Lehigh Valley, Miami Cop., Mo. Pacific, N. Y. Central, Norfolk & W., Northern Pac., Penn. R. R. Co., Reading, Rock Island, Southern Pac., Southern Ry., Union Pacific, Utah Copper, U. S. Steel, W. Maryland, Woolworth, N. Y. N. H. & H., Rumley, etc.]

Total sales—352,000 shares.

Money opened at 3½ per cent.; highest, 6 per cent.; lowest, 3½ per cent.; last loan, 4½ per cent.; closed, 4@4½ per cent.; ruling rate, 3½ per cent.

TUSTIN is three miles east from Santa Ana—the county seat of Orange county.

LOS ANGELES STOCK EXCHANGE.

Investment Opens at Gain of Fifteen Points—Market Shows Improved Volume of Trading.

Los Angeles Investment stock opened at a 15-point advance yesterday on the Stock Exchange, the statement regarding the finances of the company published Sunday being more favorable than generally anticipated. Following the high opening, the stock showed a reactionary decline to 1.08, after which it recuperated 4½ points and then, with a little irregularity in the movement, settled finally at 1.09, the closing figure. In all, 2085 shares changed hands.

Union Oil opened 1-4 point up, and after the sale of eighty shares at this figure, dropped sharply to 57.00. Twenty-five shares of Traders Oil went at $20.00, this being the first trade in this issue for some time. National Pacific was easy. Union Oil bonds were reported sold off board at 83¾. California Hills mining stock was softer. The market on the exchange has revealed improvement in the past few days. High-priced issues appear to be in somewhat better demand. Low-priced stocks, however, have apparently dropped into the background temporarily.

LOCAL CLOSING. STOCK QUOTATIONS.

[As posted at the Los Angeles Stock Exchange, I. W. Hellman building.]

[illegible — Los Angeles stock quotation tables: Oil Stocks, Bank Stocks, Industrial and Public Utilities, Bonds (With Accrued Interest), Mining List]

*—Per 1000 shares.

OIL LIST. [illegible]

INDUSTRIAL LIST. [illegible]

OFF BOARD. SALES REPORTED—Morning session: 10 $1000 Union Oil bonds at 83¾. [illegible]

MINING LIST. [illegible]

SAN FRANCISCO EXCHANGE.

Atlanta and Consolidated Show Gains—Tonopahs Are Stronger. Market Improves.

[Furnished by E. F. Hutton & Co., Members New York Stock Exchange, 118 West Fourth street, Los Angeles.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 29.—The market showed more activity than any day for the past two months. Atlanta closed with a 3-point gain; Goldfield Consolidated was 2¾. Manhattans were very quiet. Tonopahs were strong; Jim Butler gained 2, Midway 1 and Montana was in demand at 1¾. North Star gained 2 and Tonopah of Nevada ¼. Stocks in the outlying-camp list were unchanged. Comstocks all held their own. Following are closing quotations:

[illegible — San Francisco mining quotation table (Goldfield District, Manhattan District, Tonopah District, Comstock District, Other Districts)]

OIL STOCK QUOTATIONS. SAN FRANCISCO CLOSING PRICE.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.] SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 29.—[Exclusive to The Times.] Closing bid and asked prices:

[illegible — Brookshire, Claremont, Ill. Crude, Monte C., S. W. & B., Sterling, Turner, W. K. Oil]

BREAKWATER RECEIVERSHIP.

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 29.—[By A. P. Night Wire.] The United States Court today appointed receivers for the Breakwater company of this city. The assets of the company are placed at between $1,000,000 and $2,000,000 and the liabilities at between $3,000,000 and $4,000,000. The business of the company is jetty building and harbor protection.

COMMERCIAL.

LOCAL PRODUCE MARKET.

Business was on more of a normal footing yesterday morning than for several weeks past. The trading was steady and the price list was unchanged save in a few minor commodities. There was an excellent demand for the fresh fruits and vegetables, particularly the latter. The chayote squash is plentiful and is averaging about 75 cents a lug box. It is still too much of a novelty to be in big demand from the consumers and consequently there is no great call for it. Other squash, with the exception of Hubbard are not very plentiful any more and are bringing higher figures than two weeks ago. Good tomatoes are hard to obtain. There are a number of heavy shipments of northern celery reported on the way. Local celery is pretty well cleaned up, at least as far as shipping stock goes. The price on the best local stock is $2.25. Rhubarb is in fair call and plentiful. Local alligator pears are also plentiful and are averaging $2 per dozen.

There was a good demand for eggs on the exchange. They sold steady at 48 with reports of a firm market in the North and advancing markets in the East. Receipts were 187 cases. Butter receipts were heavy, 43,225 pounds, but this did not cause a decline in the advanced price of Saturday. Elgin and other eastern butter markets are reported very firm.

Cheese arrivals totaled 2985 pounds. The call for this product continues good and prices are holding very firm with continued possibility of immediate advance on northern fresh cream.

There were no reported potato receipts outside of fifty-one sacks and this caused a tightening of the market, although no real advance. The supply on hand is still heavy and will not permit of a rapid jump.

Receipts of onions totaled 1329 sacks. The demand for onions continues so heavy that there is little danger of them coming any lower. There was no activity in beans and little activity in sweet potatoes, which were plentiful. Receipts reported were 358 sacks.

Apple arrivals were 466 boxes. The demand for them was fair and prices steady. Winter Nellis pears are about cleaned up and are the end of the pear family on the market. Storage peaches and plums are all gone and grapes are about the only fruit still plentiful enough to quote with apples.

Prices Current.

Following are jobbing quotations:

EGGS—Fresh ranch, case count, 48; candied, 46@47; Petaluma-Santa Rosa extras, 48; northern, case count, 44@45; eastern, Kansas-Nebraska, 35; Minnesota-Dakota, 37@38. Prices to the trade or for candled stock are about 2 cents higher than these quotations.

BUTTER—Creamery extras, 31 per lb.; firsts, 29@29; eastern, 27@28; country, 24; ladle, 22. Prices to the trade about 4 cents higher than these quotations.

CHEESE — California fresh, 18@19; eastern daisies, 19@19½; eastern twins, 18½@19; longhorns, 19@19½; cheddars, 19½@20; Oregon daisies, 18@18½; Oregon twins, 17@18½; Oregon triplets, 17½@18; imported Swiss, 25@27; domestic Swiss, block, 20@21; wheel, 18@21; Limburger, 19@22; Edam, 8.00@8.50; Sierra, 1.00@1.10; Canada Cream, 95@1.10; Roquefort, [illegible]; German breakfast, 90@1.00; cream brick, 18½@19.

CITRUS FRUITS—Navel oranges, fancy pack, 1.75@2.25; lemons, packed, 5.00@5.50; unpacked stock, 4.00@4.50; juice lemons, 2.00@2.25; grapefruit, seedless, 3.25@4.00; tangerines, 1.35@1.75 per half orange box; limes, 1.50@1.75 crate.

ONIONS AND CHILE—Strings, 16; loose, 13; chile tolepins, 1.00 lb.; ground chile, 10@12; Japanese, 14@16; green chile, 4@5; chicken chile, 6; corn husks, 10@12; do., cut, 13; onions, Yellow Danvers, 3.20@3.35; Australian Browns, 3.20@3.35; Nevada Globes, 3.25@3.50; garlic, 12@14.

BEANS—Pink, No. 1, 4.25@4.35; Lady Washington, 4.50@4.65; small white, 6.00@6.25; Lima, No. 1, 5.75@5.85; Garvanzas, 5.75@6.00; black-eyes, 5.50@6.00; lentils, 6.00@6.25; Mexican reds, 4.50@4.60; Bayous, 4.60@4.75.

RICE—(Per 100 lbs.) Honduras (Carolina), 5.80@7.00; Japan grades, 4.50@4.60; California, 4.75; broken, 3.60.

FRESH FRUITS—[illegible]

BERRIES—Blackberries, 10@12 basket; raspberries, 9@14 basket; strawberries, 8@12; guavas, 3@4 basket; cranberries, Howe, 12.25@12.75 bbl.

MELONS—Casabas, 2.65@3.00; Christmas melons, 2.50@3.00 large crate.

POTATOES—Highlands, 1.40@1.50; extra select river potatoes, 1.50@1.65; Idaho Rurales, 1.50@1.65; Idaho Burbanks, 1.65@1.75; Lompocs, 1.75@1.85; sweets, 1.10@1.25.

DRIED FRUITS—[illegible]

GREEN VEGETABLES—[illegible]

RAISINS, FIGS AND DATES—[illegible]

NUTS—[illegible]

POULTRY—[illegible]

LIVE STOCK—[illegible]

HONEY—[illegible]

PORK—[illegible]

MUTTON—[illegible]

BEEF—[illegible]

HAMS—[illegible]

PICKLED MEATS—[illegible]

SALT AND SMOKED MEATS—[illegible]

LOCAL PRODUCE. FURTHER MARKET QUOTATIONS.

BACON—[illegible]

SAUSAGE—[illegible]

HAY—[illegible]

SALT—[illegible]

SUGAR—[illegible]

WHEAT FLOUR—[illegible]

	5-lb.	10-lb.	25-lb.	50-lb.
Graham flour	3.30	3.10	3.05	3.00
Buckwheat flour	4.75	4.55	4.50	4.45
Rye flour or meal	3.60	3.40	3.35	3.30
Cornmeal, Y. & W.	3.40	3.20	3.10	3.05
Oatmeal, steel cut	5.20	5.00	5.00	4.95
Oatmeal, ground	5.20	5.00	4.95	4.90
Hominy, large or small	4.20	4.00	3.95	3.90
Cracked wheat	3.60	3.60	3.55	3.50
Entire wheat flour	3.40	3.20	3.15	3.10
Pearl barley	6.70	6.50	6.45	6.40
Split peas, yellow	6.70	6.50	6.45	6.40
Split peas, green	5.50	5.30	5.25	5.20
Farina	3.90	3.70	3.65	3.60
Nutri Germ	4.70	4.50	4.45	4.40

LOCAL GRAIN EXCHANGE—[illegible]

GRAIN AND FEED—[illegible]

OIL LIST.

[illegible — Pearl oil, Eocene oil, V. M. & P. naphtha, Red Crown gasoline, G. M. gasoline, Engine distillate, Linseed oil]

PRODUCE RECEIPTS. SAN FRANCISCO FIGURES.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SAN FRANCISCO BUREAU OF THE TIMES, Dec. 29.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Produce receipts: [illegible]

San Francisco Dairy Market.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 29.—[By A. P. Night Wire.] Butter, fancy creamery, 32; seconds, 29½. Eggs—Fancy ranch, 48; store, 44. Cheese—New, 10½@16; Young Americas, 15@17½.

DAILY EASTERN CITRUS MARKET QUOTATIONS.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK BUREAU OF THE TIMES, DEC. 29.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Twenty-one cars navels, one Arizona navels sold. Market steady on California navels; lower on Arizonas. Weather fair.

NAVELS. [illegible]

ARIZONA NAVELS. Desert Brand $4.00

NAVELS—HALVES. [illegible]

GRAPEFRUIT. [illegible]

Philadelphia Market.

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 29.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Three cars navels sold. Cold. Market advancing. Prices low account quality. Twenty-two cars Floridas sold. Market advancing. Florida oranges sold $1.20 to $3.30. Grapefruit, $1.45 to $3.40.

NAVELS. [illegible]

Cincinnati Market.

CINCINNATI, Dec. 29.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Cold. Market weak account condition and quality of lemons. Eight cars Floridas, one California navels, on California lemons, and one Messina lemons sold. Messina lemons averaged $2.95. Florida oranges sold $1.35 to $2.45.

NAVELS. LEMONS. [illegible]

Pittsburgh Market.

PITTSBURGH, Dec. 29.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Seven cars navels sold. Cold. Six cars of Floridas sold. Floridas averaged $1.75.

NAVELS. [illegible]

St. Louis Market.

ST. LOUIS, Dec. 29.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Cloudy, cold. Market easier.

NAVELS. [illegible]

Cleveland Market.

CLEVELAND, Dec. 29.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Six cars navels sold. Unchanged. Cold.

NAVELS. [illegible]

Boston Market.

BOSTON, Dec. 29.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] [illegible] cars oranges, one car lemons sold. Cold. Market doing better.

NAVELS. LEMONS. [illegible]

Citrus Fruit Shipments.

[illegible — shipment tables, Tulare County and Butte County]

SAN FRANCISCO MARKET. FRUIT, GRAIN AND PRODUCE.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

[illegible]

Callboard Sales.

[illegible]

Grain.

BIG ADVANCE IN CORN PIT.

LEADS ALL OTHER CEREALS IN MARKET'S UPTURN.

Wheat Also Displays Great Activity and Strength After an Early Showing of Weakness Caused by Foreign Cables—Oats, as Usual, Followed the Other Grains.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CHICAGO, Dec. 29.—[illegible]

Chicago Grain Market.

[Furnished by E. F. Hutton & Co., Members New York Stock Exchange, 118 West Fourth street, Los Angeles.]

CHICAGO, Dec. 29.—[illegible]

Chicago Closing Figures.

[illegible]

Chicago Dairy Market.

[illegible]

Portland Wheat Market.

[illegible]

London Hops Market.

[illegible]

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NEW SOUTHERN PACIFIC CARD IS EFFECTIVE SUNDAY.

Two of the San Joaquin Valley Trains Will Be Taken Off and Owens Valley Sleepers Will Henceforth Be Handled by the Owl—Better Sacramento Connections.

Two of the San Joaquin Valley trains will be taken off and schedules generally rearranged, with beneficial results to Southern California, under a new Southern Pacific time card which will become effective Sunday.

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By this change, the north-bound Owl will make direct connections for Sacramento at Tracy, while the south-bound train will afford connection with the Sunset Limited here, which is not possible under the present schedule. On the Coast Line, No. [illegible] will be changed to leave here at [illegible] p.m., instead of 5 p.m., and arrive at San Francisco, via Oakland, at 2:50 p.m., instead of 9:10 [illegible].

A new Santa Barbara local will be added to leave here at 4:45 p.m., and running via Oxnard, reaching Santa Barbara at 8:25 p.m. This train will take the place of the train now leaving here at 5:15 p.m., which will be run to Nordhoff instead of to Santa Barbara, thus giving the Ojai Valley improved service.

Settled.

WILL NOT SEEK REGIONAL BANK.

BANKERS DECIDE NOT TO ASK FOR ONE HERE.

Estimate that Capital on Coast Is Insufficient for Establishment of Two Reserve Banks—Branch Will Prove Equally as Effective, They Contend.

Representatives of members of the Los Angeles Clearinghouse and associated banks yesterday passed a resolution not to endeavor to secure a regional reserve bank in this city under the new currency law. It is intended, however, to work for the establishment of a branch institution here, as this will prove equally as effective in all respects, according to the belief of leading bankers.

The resolution was based on the showing made by the Clearinghouse Committee in its report concerning conditions governing the establishing of regional banks. It has been found that the capital of all the banks of the country is approximately $4,-[illegible],000,000. Of this total approximately $260,000,000, or about 15 per cent., is made up by banks of all the Pacific Coast States, including California, Oregon, Washington, Idaho, Utah, Nevada and Arizona, as well as Alaska.

It is figured that about half this, or $130,000,000, would be made up by the national banks on the Coast. As the law requires that the capital of the regional institution shall be $4,000,000, and 6 per cent. of the capital of the combined institutions joining the system, the $130,-000,000 aggregate capital on this Coast would be insufficient for the establishment of two regional banks, unless a number of State institutions should join the system, which is regarded as unlikely. It is also cited in the preamble that the banking capital and surplus of the State of California is $169,000,000, of which $73,-000,000 is in San Francisco alone.

Another of the main points advanced in the resolution is that a regional reserve bank will prove more effective in supplying money for handling the great variety of products of the Pacific Coast, inasmuch as the products are marketed at all seasons of the year. This causes a constant ebb and flow in the demand for money in the various sections, which of its very character can best be supplied by one central institution, it is contended.

The public at large will not deal directly with a regional institution in any case. It will merely supply the needs of an exchange bank in distributing funds among its member banks, rediscounting commercial paper, etc.

It is believed that San Francisco will be chosen as the location of the regional reserve bank for the Coast, in view of the fact that the aggregate capital and surplus of the banks in that city is the largest of any city on the Coast. It has been decided that the bankers here will support San Francisco in an effort to secure the regional institution for that city, rather than for any other city on the Coast.

The concluding paragraphs of the resolution read: "Resolved that the Los Angeles Clearinghouse Association and associated banks of the city of Los Angeles favor one Federal reserve bank only, for the Pacific Coast States, to be located in the city of San Francisco, with branches in the city of Los Angeles and in one or more cities of the Northwest; and

"Be it further resolved that copies of this resolution be forwarded to the Reserve Bank Organization Committee and to the San Francisco Clearinghouse Association."

With reference to the position taken, a prominent local banker stated last night: "It is not from any lack of the boosting spirit that we have adopted this position. It is our belief, however, that it would be useless and inadvisable, now that we are acquainted with the facts, to attempt to secure a regional bank for this city."

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Farmers and Merchants' Nat. Bank, Cor. Fourth and Main	I. W. HELLMAN, Pres. V. H. ROSSETTI, Cash'r.	Capital ......$1,500,000; Surplus and Profits $2,000,000
National Bank of California, N.E. Cor. Fourth and Spring	J. E. FISHBURN, Pres. H. S. McKEE, Cashier.	Capital ......$500,000; Surplus and Profits $200,000
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[...]—Grain.

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[The] concluding paragraphs of the [resolution] read: "Resolved that the [Los] Angeles Clearinghouse Associa[tion and] associated banks of the city [of Los] Angeles favor one Federal re[serve] bank only, for the Pacific Coast [Slope], to be located in the city of San [Francisco] with branches in the city [of Los] Angeles and in one or more [cities] of the Northwest; and

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Comparative.

INCREASE OVER FORMER YEARS.

IMPERIAL VALLEY MAKES ASTOUNDING LEAPS FORWARD.

Horticultural and Agricultural Industries Enjoy Year of Marked Development—Six Hundred Dairies Part of Valley's Assets—Santa Monica Wants Auditorium.

IMPERIAL, Dec. 29.—The increase in the Imperial Valley over last year in this year's yield of the horticultural and agricultural industries has astonished even those who are well acquainted with valley crop conditions. In 1912 there were 86,854 acres planted to alfalfa; in 1913 there were 101,302 acres. There were 69,-524 acres of barley in the valley in 1912, and this was swelled to 78,-901 this year.

Corn was planted on 49,199 acres last year and on 42,600 this year. The cotton acreage was increased from 8000 to 22,000 acres, and the cantaloupes spread over 1100 acres more in 1913 than in 1912. Fully 100 per cent. increase marks the advancement in the cotton crop this year. Conservative estimates place the cotton crop this year at 1900 bales, from which nearly 2000 tons of seed will be gleaned.

There were 281 acres in the valley planted to asparagus in 1912 and this acreage was increased to 320 acres last year. Horticulturalist Waite says that a net profit of $100 per acre is a very low estimate for those who grow this vegetable. Five hundred dollars per acre would be a closer estimate if conditions and markets are favorable.

Feeding and fattening hogs has become a vast industry in the valley during the year. This was hardly considered in 1912. At least 70,000 head of cattle were fattened and made ready for the Coast markets in the Imperial Valley this year.

SIX HUNDRED DAIRIES.

There are at this time about 600 dairies in the valley with 30,000 milk cows producing this year a net income for the valley of more than $200,000,000. The honey industry has advanced with a pace that has kept up with the procession. Imperial is now the leading honey-producing section in California, in fact, in all the southwest. In 1913 there were shipped out of the valley thirty-seven carloads, or about 1,480,000 pounds of a very fine variety of honey. All previous building records have been broken during the year that is just closing. Approximately fifteen industrial structures, thirty-five business buildings, ten hotels, six churches and about 500 residences have gone up in the valley since the year began. The combined value of these buildings is estimated at about three-quarters of a million dollars, and a significant fact concerning the building operations in the valley is that no building of any kind has been erected for which there was not a waiting demand, and in most instances they were leased before they were begun.

IMPERIAL VALLEY NOTES.

The colored people of Imperial laid the corner-stone for the first colored church in the Imperial Valley today. It is to be a neat, commodious structure of the California mission style. It is a Methodist church and is due largely to the efforts of Presiding Elder Stout of Los Angeles. The ceremonies of the corner-stone laying were in charge of Rev. Harris of Los Angeles, a colored minister of pronounced ability. The white population of the community were present in considerable numbers.

Beginning soon after the first of the year work will begin on a High School building in Brawley, which will cost when finished not less than $52,000.

The State Railroad Commission has just issued an order which directs a 20 per cent. reduction on the now existing Southern Pacific tariff on cotton, shipped out of the Imperial Valley to Los Angeles, San Pedro and all places in the same zone. This order cuts the rates from 62 cents per hundred to 50 cents. The local growers express themselves as being well pleased with this result of their long efforts with the railroad commission.

A cheese factory was recently started on the Waldrop ranch by Emuel Eberle. It is making rapid strides toward a successful business. Mr. Eberle is "cheesing" the product from about fifty cows, and the output is meeting with a ready sale, both in the valley and in the markets of Los Angeles.

The Wise ranch, located two miles northeast of Calexico, was sold yesterday for $30,000. The ranch consists of 110 acres, all in cultivation.

AUDITORIUM NEEDED.

SANTA MONICA WILL BUILD.

SANTA MONICA, Dec. 29.—Every civic body along the bay has by resolution adopted placed itself upon record as being unanimously in favor of the construction of a municipal auditorium. The site agreed upon is in proximity to the municipal pier at the foot of Colorado avenue and the concensus of opinion is that at least $100,000 should be spent on the building, exclusive of site. The plan is to vote bonds, and those who have canvassed the situation are confident that no opposition would be encountered at the polls.

This sum would build an auditorium that would prove a real attraction and draw to the beach many gatherings, such as fraternal meetings, State society picnics, delegate conventions and like affairs. The theory is that the auditorium, being grand of design and unique of things in the South, would prove a great drawing card. It could be made the home of the annual Chautauqua and friends of the movement believe there would be a demand for it during every day of the outing season. It is believed this improvement will head the list of beach betterments for 1914.

Other notable projects include the paving of Fremont avenue and its connection with Pico boulevard, affording a bee-line boulevard between the ocean and Los Angeles. The trolley line of the Pacific Electric is also busy with plans for the construction of a new short line to connect Los Angeles with the sea. This would run from Eighth street east by way of National boulevard and join the present main and Venice lines near Ivy Station. The railway officials have stated that the road would be built and rights of way are now being secured for it.

SHIPPING.

HARBOR OF LOS ANGELES.

ARRIVED.

Steamer Queen, Capt. Zeh, from San Diego.
Steamer Yucatan, Capt. Paulsen, from San Francisco and Portland.
Steamer Saginaw, Capt. Weber, from Astoria.
Steamer Willamette, Capt. Reiner, from Astoria.
Steamer Centralia, Capt. Svendsen, from Gray's Harbor.

SAILED.

Steamer Queen, Capt. Zeh, for San Francisco and way ports.
Steamer Yucatan, Capt. Paulsen, for San Diego.
Steamer Willamette, Capt. Reiner, for San Diego.

TO ARRIVE.

Date.	From—Name of vessel.	Wharf.
Dec. 30	Everett, Falcon.	
Dec. 30	Astoria, C. M. Clark.	
Dec. 30	Fort Bragg, J. S. Higgins.	
Dec. 30	St. Helens, Yosemite.	
Dec. 30	San Francisco, Yale	P.N.Co.
Dec. 30	San Diego, Yucatan	N.P.S.S.Co.
Dec. 30	Seattle & S. F., Governor	P.C.S.S.Co.
Dec. 31	San Francisco, Hanalei	Crescent
Jan. 1	San Francisco, Harvard	P.N.Co.
Jan. 1	San Diego, Governor	P.C.S.S.Co.
Jan. 2	San Diego, Harvard	P.N.Co.
Jan. 2	S. F. & way, Santa Clara	N.P.S.S.Co.
Jan. 2	Port. & S. F., Beaver	S.F.&P.S.S.Co.
Jan. 3	San Francisco, Yale	P.N.Co.
Jan. 3	S. F. & way, Queen	P.C.S.S.Co.
Jan. 4	San Francisco, Harvard	P.N.Co.
Jan. 4	San Diego, Yale	P.N.Co.
Jan. 5	San Diego, Roanoke	N.P.S.S.Co.
Jan. 5	San Francisco, Hanalei	Crescent
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Dec. 31	San Diego, Governor	P.C.S.S.Co.
Dec. 31	San Francisco, Hanalei	Crescent
Dec. 31	San Francisco, Klamath	S.P.
Jan. 1	San Francisco, Robt. Dollar (Br.)	Crescent
Jan. 1	San Francisco, Yale	P.N.Co.
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Jan. 1	S. F. & Seattle, Governor	P.C.S.S.Co.
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Jan. 2	S. F. & way, Santa Clara	N.P.S.S.Co.
Jan. 3	San Diego, Yale	P.N.Co.
Jan. 3	S. F. & Port., Beaver	S.F.&P.S.S.Co.
Jan. 4	San Francisco, Yale	P.N.Co.
Jan. 4	San Diego, Queen	P.C.S.S.Co.
Jan. 5	S. F. & way, Queen	P.C.S.S.Co.
Jan. 5	San Francisco, Hanalei	Crescent
Jan. 5	S. F. & Portland, Roanoke	N.P.S.S.Co.

CARGO VESSELS ON WAY TO THIS PORT.

Danish motor ship Siam, Capt. Hansen, sailed from Antwerp, Oct. 30, and Antofagasta, Dec. 15.
British steamer Engineer, Capt. Richards, sailed from Liverpool, Nov. 15.
Steamer Rameses, Capt. Vierth, from Hamburg, sailed from Santos, Dec. 8.
Steamer Santa Cecelia, Capt. Anderson, sailed from New York, Nov. 29.
Schooner H. D. Bendixsen, Capt. Thunnell, sailed from Astoria, Dec. 19.
Schooner Lucy, Capt. Skipper, sailed from Umpqua, Dec. 19.
British steamer Crown of Toledo, Capt. Grindley, sailed from Antwerp, Dec. 17.
Steamer Falcon, Capt. Skage, sailed from Everett, Dec. 23.
Steamer C. M. Clark, Capt. Higgins, sailed from Astoria, Dec. 24.
Steamer James S. Higgins, Capt. Swanson, sailed from Fort Bragg, Dec. 24.
Steamer Yosemite, Capt. Maro, sailed from St. Helens, Dec. 24.
Steamer Aroline, Capt. Sears, sailed from Gray's Harbor, Dec. 25.
Steamer Temple E. Dorr, Capt. Jahnsen, sailed from Gray's Harbor, Dec. 25.
Steamer Shoshone, Capt. Silvia, sailed from Hoquiam, Dec. 26.
Steamer Siskiyou, Capt. Hansen, sailed from Kalama, Dec. 26.
Steamer Tiverton, Capt. Green, sailed from Eureka, Dec. 27.
Steamer Helen P. Drew, Capt. Johansson, sailed from Greenwood, Dec. 27.

LOADING FOR THIS PORT.

British steamer Lord Lonsdale, at Antwerp.
German steamer Mera, at Genoa.
British steamer Crown of Galicia, at Antwerp.
Steamer Lyra, at San Francisco.
Steamer Pleiades, at Balboa.
Steamer Lewis Luckenbach, at Balboa.
Steamer General Hubbard, at Eureka.
Steamer F. S. Loop, at Everett.
Steamer Rosalie Mahoney, at Tacoma.
Steamer Necanicum, at Eureka.
Steamer Northland, at Portland.
Steamer William H. Murphy, at Eureka.
Steamer Daisy Gadsby, at Columbia River.
Steamer Hornet, at Everett.
Steamer J. B. Stetson, at Gray's Harbor.
Steamer Vanguard, at Eureka.
Steamer Willapa, at Willapa.

The vessels given above are American steamships except when otherwise stated. The wharves are those used by the ships at the present time.

IN PORT.

Steamer Cabrillo, at Banning wharf.
Barkentine Fremont, outer harbor.
Chinese junk Ning Po, at Fulton & Woodley yard.
Steamer Olson and Mahoney, at S. P. wharf.
Steamer John A. Hooper, at So. Cal. Lumber Co. wharf.
Steamer Columbia, inner harbor.
Steamer Bee, at Wilmington.
British steamer Robert Dollar, at Crescent wharf.
Steamer Harvard, at Pac. Nav. Co. wharf.
Steamer Wellesley, at S. P. slip.
Steamer Cricket, at Wilmington.
Steamer Lakme, at K.-C. wharf.
Steamer Klamath, at S. L. R.R. wharf.
Steamer Saginaw, at S. P. Lumber Co. wharf.
Steamer Centralia, at Crescent wharf.

TIDE TABLE AT SAN PEDRO.

		High.	Low.
Tuesday,	Dec. 30	10:20 a.m.	4:03 p.m.
Wednesday,	" 31	12:34 a.m. / 11:05 a.m.	5:29 a.m. / 4:37 p.m.
Thursday,	Jan. 1	1:00 a.m. / 11:43 a.m.	5:50 a.m. / 6:49 p.m.
Friday,	" 2	1:36 a.m. / 12:26 p.m.	6:36 a.m. / 7:21 p.m.
Saturday,	" 3	2:21 a.m. / 1:24 p.m.	7:25 a.m. / 7:56 p.m.
Sunday,	" 4	3:08 a.m. / 2:36 p.m.	10:19 a.m. / 8:27 p.m.
Monday,	" 5	3:56 a.m. / 4:33 p.m.	11:44 a.m. / 9:22 p.m.

FERRIES.

For East San Pedro: Launch leaves foot of Fifth street every fifteen minutes, day and night.
For Terminal: Launch leaves foot of Fifth street every half hour from 6:15 a.m. to 11:45 p.m.

AVALON, SANTA CATALINA ISLAND.

Leave.		Arrive.
10:00 a.m.	Steamer Hermosa.	6:00 p.m.

HARBOR ITEMS.

Lumber receipts at the harbor yesterday fell far below what was expected owing to the fact that a number of ships due failed to arrive. The Centralia, from Gray's Harbor brought 900,000 feet, the Saginaw, and the Willamette, from Astoria arrived with only part cargoes. The Willamette sailed in the afternoon for San Diego. The North Pacific Steamship Company's ship Yucatan had a full passenger list when she arrived from Portland and San Francisco, there being eighty-two aboard as well as 250 tons of general merchandise for Los Angeles. Many of the passengers on the Yucatan had secured passage on the Rose City, but as that ship did not make her accustomed voyage to this port the travelers were transferred. The Yucatan continued her trip to San Diego taking aboard thirty passengers before sailing. The Queen arrived from San Diego with eighty-three passengers and twenty-three tons of freight for this port, took aboard 104 passengers and ninety-eight tons of cargo and left for San Francisco and way ports.

The passenger liner Harvard will go into dry dock at San Francisco the first of the year, making her last sailing from this port on January 2. On January 16 the Harvard will return to her regular run and the Yale will be docked and given her annual overhauling.

Testimony in the case of Capt. A. Smith of the steamer Hermosa, who is charged with not carrying sufficient officers aboard his ship, was heard by the United States inspectors at the harbor yesterday. Capt. Smith was charged with neglect in not having two mates on the Hermosa, by William Westcott, of the Masters' and Pilots' Association of San Francisco.

The North Pacific Steamship Company has secured the steamer Celriana and will put her in service on a regular run between Los Angeles, Mazatlan, San Blas and Manzanillo about the middle of January. The steamer will carry passengers and freight and make a round trip every month. Even though Mexico is torn by revolutions this ship should have capacity cargoes both north and south. Los Angeles has long needed direct communication with Southern Mexico by water and, with the exception of an occasional visit by the Norwegian steamer Jason all passengers from the south went first either to San Francisco or San Diego. Southern Californians who were in business in Mexico have in many cases been obliged to return to their homes by sea, some even going to Havana, Cuba, then to New Orleans and from there by rail to Los Angeles, a journey of 3500 miles.

REDONDO BEACH.

ARRIVED—MONDAY, DEC. 29.

No arrivals today.

SAILED—MONDAY, DEC. 29.

No departures today.

SCHEDULE OF ARRIVALS AND DEPARTURES OF PASSENGER VESSELS.

FRIDAY, Jan. 2.—Steamship Queen, from San Francisco, via Santa Barbara, en voyage for San Diego, via San Pedro.

SAILING FOR THIS PORT.

Steamer Thomas L. Wand, Gray's Harbor.
Steamer Columbia, San Pedro.
Steamer Saginaw, Gray's Harbor.

PORT ITEMS.

The steamer Columbia will arrive here tomorrow from San Pedro with lumber for this port.

NORTHERN SHIPPING.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 29.—Arrived: Steamers Coronado, Santa Clara, Henry T. Scott, Yale, Los Angeles. Sailed: Steamers Governor, Aroline, Los Angeles.

METAL MARKETS.

COPPER.

NEW YORK, Dec. 29.—[By A. P. Night Wire.] Standard copper, firm, spot, 14.37½@14.87½. Electrolytic, 14.75@15.00. Lake, 15.50, nominal; casting, 14.62½.

LEAD.

NEW YORK, Dec. 29.—[By A. P. Night Wire.] Lead, quiet. New York, 3.95@4.05.

SILVER.

NEW YORK, Dec. 29.—[By A. P. Night Wire.] Bar silver, 57⅝.

METAL MARKET.

FOREIGN AND DOMESTIC.

[Furnished by E. F. Hutton & Co., Members New York Stock Exchange, 118 West Fourth street, Los Angeles.]

London copper opened strong, with spot at £66, up £1 6s, and futures at £66 10s, up £1 5s. Tin was strong, with spot at £171, up £3 10s, and futures at £172 10s, up £3 5s. Lead was at £17 15s, unchanged. Copper closed firm, with spot at £66 6s 3d, up 6s 3d, and futures at £66 16s 3d, up 6s 3d. Tin closed firm with spot at £171 10s, up 10s, and futures at £173 5s, up 15s. Spelter was at £21 12s 6d, up 5s.

In New York spot copper was at 14.37½@14.87½. Tin was at 37.62½@37.87½; lead at 4.10@4.20, and spelter at 5.25@5.45.

LONDON, Dec. 29.—Good business was done on the Continent in electrolytic copper up to 138 marks. This is equivalent to 14¾ cents. Some dealers here have sold electrolytic at £69 15s. Phelps-Dodge quote £69; Amalgamated Copper, £69 17s 6d, and American Smelting, £69 5s. Consumers are in the market and indications are for a good demand.

Chino Copper's output for November totaled 4,402,000 pounds.

Puts or calls on Utah Copper, 3 points up or 3 down, sixty days, and $135 per hundred; thirty days, 2 up or 2 down, are at $120 per hundred.

Call on Chino, 2 up, thirty days, are at $125 per hundred.

The American Smelting Company has raised the price of lead from 4.10 to 4.15. All the big copper metal concerns are practically asking 15 cents for electrolytic.

Dow, Jones & Co. said: The American Smelting and Refining Company is now making peace overtures to the Department of Justice for the simple reason that it does not know whether the department proposes to proceed against it or not. Government agents have been going over the company's books and the investigation is about complete, but the Attorney-General has still to decide whether there are grounds for action.

Boston Copper Market.

[Furnished by Logan & Bryan, Members New York and Boston Stock Exchange, Bradbury building, Los Angeles.]

BOSTON, Dec. 29.—Local coppers improved today, especially Granby, Range, Superior and Mohawk. Lake stocks were very strong on good buying, which would indicate an early settlement of the strike. The New York list looked a little heavy.

Close:

	Close Bid.	Close Ask.		Close Bid.	Close Ask.
Adventure	1¼	1⅝	Mass. Gas.	89	90
Ahmeek	265	270	Do. pfd.	89½	91
Alaska	21⅝	21½	Majestic	23	24
Allouez	36	36⅝	Mayflower	7	7⅝
Algomah	1¼	1½	Miami	21⅛	21
Am. Pneu.	2⅝	3	Michigan	75	100
Do. pfd.	17	17¼	McK. Dar.	1	1 1-16
Am. Zinc	18⅝	18⅝	Mohawk	44½	45
Arcadian	1⅞	2	Nev. Cons.	15⅝	15⅞
Ariz. Com.	4⅝	4⅛	Nipissing	8	8 1-16
Baltic	75	85	Verde	40	50
Bos. & E.	42	47	Pond Creek.	18⅝	19
Begole	75	100	N. Butte	28¼	28½
Bohemia	1¼	1⅝	Nev. Doug.	1 3-16	1¼
Butte & B.	3½	3⅞	N. Lake	1¼	1⅝
Butte & S.	31½	32	Ohio	44	45
Cactus	2	2½	Old Dom.	50½	51⅛
Calaveras	1¼	1 5-16	Old Colony.	78½	80
Cal. & A.	63⅝	64	Quincy	60	62
Cal. & H.	427	430	Ray Cons.	18¼	18⅝
Centennial	15	15¼	Raven	12	14
Chief Cons.	1¼	1⅝	Santa Fe.	1⅝	2
Chino	39⅝	39⅝	Shannon	6⅝	6¼
Cons. Ariz.	15	25	Shattuck	27½	28
Copper R.	37⅝	38	Sup. & B.	2½	2⅝
Daly West.	2	2¼	Sup. Cop.	26½	27
Davis Daly.	2	2 1-16	S. P. Co.	104	104½
E. Butte	11½	11⅝	S. Lake	4¼	4½
First Nat.	2 1-16	2½	Tamarack	29½	30
C. & C.	12	15	Trinity	4	4¼
Corbin	1⅛	1 3-16	Tuolumne	55	60
Franklin	3	3¼	Utah Cons.	8⅝	9
Granby	74	74½	U. S. M. & S. com.	41	41½
Greene Can.	30½	30½	Do. pfd.	48¾	48½
Gifd. Cons.	1⅝	1½	Un. Fruit.	152	—
Helvetia	25	50	Shoe Mach.	55	55½
Houghton	2⅝	3½	Do. pfd.	28	28½
In. Creek.	48	48½	Victoria	1½	1⅝
Do. pfd.	85	84	Wolverine	45½	46
Indiana	4⅛	4⅝	Wyandotte	50	75
Isle Royale.	19	20	Yukon	2	2⅛
Kerr Lake.	4⅝	4 9-16	Oneco	85	85
Keweenah	2⅝	2½	S. W. Miami.	1	2⅝
Lake Cop.	7⅝	7½	Stewart	1⅝	1½
La Salle	3½	3⅝	Ojibway	75	10
Mason Val.	3⅝	3⅝			
Mass. Cop.	2½	2⅝			

SAN FRANCISCO CLOSING.

STOCK AND BOND QUOTATIONS.

[Furnished by Logan & Bryan, Members New York and Boston Stock Exchanges, Bradbury Bldg., Los Angeles.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 29. — [Exclusive to The Times.] Closing quotations on the San Francisco Stock and Bond Exchange were as follows:

Miscellaneous Bonds—	Bid.	Asked.
Bay Counties Power Co. 5s	...	100
L. A. Gas & El. Co. 5s	98	99
Los Angeles Railway 5s	...	103
Market St. Ry. 1st Con. Mtg. 5s	100½	101
Natomas Con. of Cal. 6s (American issue)	45	...
Omnibus Cable Ry. 6s	98	...
Oro Electric Corp. 6s	60	...
Pacific Gas & Elec. Co. 5s	84½	...
Pacific Elec. Ry. Co. 5s	100	100½
Pac. Tel. & Tel. Co. 5s	96	96½
San Joaquin Light & Power 5s	...	99
S. P. Branch Ry. of Cal. 6s	118½	...
S. P. R.R. Co. 1st Refg. 4s	88⅝	89⅝
S. V. Water Co. Gen. Mtg. 4s	89½	89½
United R.R. of S. F. 4s	51⅝	52½
Water Stocks—		
Spring Valley Water Co.	51⅝	53
Insurance Stocks—		
Fireman's Fund	228	...
Pacific Coast Casualty Co.	...	87½
Savings Banks—		
Mutual Sav. Bank ($50 paid up)	80	...
Sugar Stocks—		
Hawaiian Com. & Sugar	21	24
Oil Stocks—		
Associated Oil Co.	38½	39⅛
Union Oil Co. of Cal.	85	...
Miscellaneous Stocks—		
Alaska Packers Association	69⅝	...
Pac. Tel. & Tel. (pfd.)	88	90

SALES—100 Pac. Tel. pfd. at 88½; 1000 Pac. Tel. 5s at 96½; 2000 Cal. Gas 5s at 91¾; 4 Union 4s at 52; 1 S. V. Water 4s at 89½; 5 Fireman's Fund at 229½; 20 do. at 229½.

SPOT COTTON.

NEW ORLEANS QUOTATIONS.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 29.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] New Orleans spot cotton: Low ordinary, 9 1-16 nominal; ordinary, 9 7-8 nominal; good ordinary, 11 1-16; strict good ordinary, 11 3-4; low middling, 12 3-16; strict low middling, 12 9-16; middling, 12 13-16; strict middling, 13 1-16; good middling, 13 5-16; strict good middling, 13 1-2; middling fair, 13 15-16 nominal; middling fair to fair, 14 5-16 nominal; fair, 14 11-16 nominal. Sales: Spot cotton, 1840 bales; sales to arrive, 750 bales. Delivered on contract, 100 bales. Tone of market, steady. Receipts at New Orleans, 19,194 bales.

NEW YORK QUOTATIONS.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 29.—Spot cotton, quiet.

New York General Market.

NEW YORK, Dec. 29.—[By A. P. Night Wire.] Wheat, spot irregular. Hops steady; State common to choice, 1913, 40@48; 1912, 20@25; Pacific Coast, 1913, 23@27; 1912, 11@24. Hides, steady, Bogota, 29½@30½; Central America, 29¼. Petroleum steady; refined New York bulk, 5.25; barrels, 8.75; cases, 11.25.

New York Cotton Market.

[Furnished by E. F. Hutton & Co., Members New York Stock Exchange, 118 West Fourth street, Los Angeles.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 29.—The market here opened 10 to 12 points up in response to strong cables, then eased off on southern and local selling and finally closed at a slight advance for the day. The volume of trading was fair and confined chiefly to switching operations with near-position longs apparently unwilling to take deliveries of the actual even at current wide differences. Fears of a further widening of these differences at the February meeting of the Revision Committee are causing talk of a yet greater discount for January under March, which discount is 34 points at tonight's close. Latest developments in the Charleston spot-house failure are not reassuring, though the elimination of this big long interest helps the technical position.

Following is range of quotations:

Option—	Open.	High.	Low.	Close Bid.	Close Ask.
January	12.13	12.15	12.03	12.05	12.07
February	12.15	12.21	12.15	12.14	12.18
March	12.44	12.44	12.34	12.39	12.40
April	12.00	12.00	.....	12.32	12.33
May	12.40	12.40	12.29	12.32	12.33
June	.....	.....	.....	12.32	12.34
July	12.41	12.40	12.30	12.33	12.34
August	12.23	12.23	12.12	12.14	12.16
September	11.82	11.82	11.78	11.75	11.82
October	11.78	11.78	11.66	11.68	11.69
December	12.30	12.30	12.17	12.25	12.27

Spots were unchanged at 12.60.

New York Coffee Market.

[Furnished by Logan & Bryan, Members New York and Boston Stock Exchanges, Bradbury Bldg., Los Angeles.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 29. — Following is range of prices:

Option—	High.	Low.	Close Bid.	Close Ask.
January	.....	.....	8.74	8.76
March	9.06	9.00	9.02	9.05
May	9.32	9.25	9.31	9.32
June	.....	.....	9.41	9.43
July	9.53	9.45	9.53	.....
August	.....	.....	9.61	9.62
September	9.70	9.61	9.70	9.71
October	.....	.....	9.75	9.76
December	.....	.....	8.78	8.80

New York Dairy Market.

NEW YORK, Dec. 29.—[By A. P. Night Wire.] Butter—Steady; receipts, 4100 tubs; creamery extras, 30½@37½; firsts, 28@34; held extras, 32@33; firsts, 28@31; process extras, 24@25.

Cheese—Firm; receipts, 709 boxes; State whole milk held, specials, 17; average fancy, 16¼@16¾; fresh specials, 16¼@16½. Eggs—Firm; receipts, 8600 cases; fresh gathered extras, 38½@39; extra firsts, 37@38; firsts, 40@46½; refrigerator special marks fancy, 31½@32; firsts, 30¼@31; near-by hennery whites, 46@50; gathered, whites 47@48.

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SAVANNAH QUOTATIONS.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SAVANNAH, Dec. 29.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Turpentine, firm, 42½ cents; sales, 704; receipts, 281; shipments, 88; stocks, 29,082. Rosin, firm; sales, 2531; receipts, 1987; shipments, 272; stocks, 104,450. Quote: ABCD, 3.72½; FGH, 3.70 to 3.72½; I, 3.82½ to 3.87; K, 4.55; M, 5.35; N, 6.35; WG, 6.45; WW, 6.85.

California Dried Fruits.

NEW YORK, Dec. 29.—[By A. P. Night Wire.] Evaporated apples quiet; fancy, 11@12½; choice, 9¼@9⅝; prime, 8@8½. Prunes, steady; Californias, 3⅝@3½; Oregons, 8⅝@11. Apricots quiet and firm; choice, 13½; extra choice, 14½@14¾; fancy, 15@16. Peaches quiet, choice, 6@6½; extra choice, 7@8¼; fancy, 7½@8. Raisins, firm; loose Muscatels, 5@6; choice to fancy seeded, 7@8¼; seedless, 4⅝@6½; London layers, 1.75@2.00.

New York Metal Market.

NEW YORK, Dec. 29.—[By A. P. Night Wire.] Copper, firm; standard, spot to March, 14.37½@14.87½; electrolytic, 14.75@15.00; lake, 15.50, nominal; casting, 14.62½. Tin, firm; spot, December and January, 37.62½@37.87½; February, 37.75@38.00; March, 37.87½@38.12½; April, 38.00@38.25. Antimony, dull; Cooksons, 7.45@7.60. Iron, quiet; No. 1 northern, 15.00@15.50; No. 2 northern, 14.75@15.25; No. 1 southern, 15.00@15.50; No. 1 southern soft, 15.00@15.50.

Chicago Live-Stock Market.

CHICAGO, Dec. 29.—[By A. P. Night Wire.] Hogs, receipts 35,000; firm, mostly 5 above Saturday's average; bulk, 7.75@8.00; lights, 7.60@8.00; mixed, 7.75@8.05; heavy, 7.65@8.10; rough, 7.65@7.75; pigs, 6.75@7.60. Cattle, receipts 22,-000; steady to a shade higher; beeves, 6.85@9.75; Texas steers, 6.90@7.90; western steers, 6.30@7.85; stockers and feeders, 5.00@7.55; cows and heifers, 3.50@8.20; calves, 7.00@11.00. Sheep, receipts, 25,000; strong to 10 higher; native, 4.75@6.10; western, 4.75@6.10; yearlings, 5.85@7.15; lambs, native, 6.75@8.35; eastern, 6.85@8.35.

RESTS IN EVERGREEN.

Funeral services over the remains of William Merritt Welch, aged 12 years, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Welch of El Valido ranch, Alta Loma, were held at the residence of his grandmother, Mrs. W. R. Kelly, No. 1400 West Third street, Saturday evening at 10:30 o'clock. The Episcopal service was read by Dean McCormack, and the remains were laid at rest in the family vault at Evergreen Cemetery. He was the grandson of the late ex-Judge W. R. Kelly, who was for many years the general consul for the Union Pacific Railway, and later held the same position with the Salt Lake Road.

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November	13		[illegible]
November	14		[illegible]
November	15		[illegible]
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November	19		[illegible]
November	20		[illegible]
November	21		[illegible]
November	22		[illegible]
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November	26		[illegible]
November	27		[illegible]
November	28		[illegible]
November	29		[illegible]
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Daily average for every day of November.. [illegible]
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HARRY CHANDLER,
Assistant General Manager, The Times.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 3d day of December, 1913.

[Seal] T. L. CHAPIN,
Notary Public in and for the County of Los Angeles, State of California.

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A. L. DENNIS,
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SUMMARY OF THE DAY.

The Municipal Efficiency Commission has eight applications for the position of superintendent, and will sift them down to three. Then the trio will be asked to come to Los Angeles for the final examinations.

Acting Mayor Whitten yesterday prepared a message to be sent to the Council this morning, asking that it adopt resolutions urging the location of a regional bank here.

The Methodist Episcopal Church building at No. 5111 Hollywood boulevard was declared dangerous by the Chief Building Inspector yesterday. It must be repaired or demolished at once.

The City Council will caucus on candidates for police surgeon today.

An agreement was reached yesterday as to the streets whereon the girder rail must be laid by the Los Angeles Railway Company.

Because her husband had not bought her a coat since their marriage the wife had one charged at a department store and later obtained money on a telegram to a friend who believed her husband had sent the message. She sued for separate maintenance, her fourth matrimonial venture, and was denied.

A suit involving the liability of public officers and municipalities under the act of 1911 was thrown out of court yesterday and the act held unconstitutional.

At the City Hall.

USE PROCESS OF ELIMINATION.

EFFICIENCY BOARD ANXIOUS TO GET SUPERINTENDENT.

Has Eight Applications from Experienced Men, but Will Sift These Down to Three, When They Will Come to Los Angeles for Final Examinations.

The Efficiency Commission is anxious to secure a superintendent. It has work blocked out, awaiting the selection of this official, and is becoming impatient over the time consumed in making the selection.

Applications have been filed by eight well-known and experienced men in this line of municipal work. A process of elimination is being used for the purpose of sifting these applicants down to three, when this trio will be asked to come to Los Angeles and submit to the final oral examinations.

It is required of the candidates that they write a thesis on the subject of municipal efficiency, and that they give a full personal history, down to the color of their hair and eyes. This data is to be forwarded to the Civil Service Commission, and then the three are to be selected from the eight to undergo the final tests.

Meanwhile, the Municipal Efficiency Commission has in hand the charting of the municipal employees, which includes the scheduling of their salaries, the character of their work and number of hours employed, with all such other information as will help the superintendency of the Efficiency Bureau to standardize the salaries and make recommendations for changes for the betterment of the public service.

REGIONAL BANK.
CITY WANTS ONE HERE.

This morning the City Council will have presented for its consideration and action a message from Acting Mayor Whitten, urging that resolutions be adopted asking the government to locate one of the proposed fourteen regional banks in Los Angeles.

At the very time Whitten was preparing his message, a telegram was received by him from the Mayor urging the same line of action. In his telegram, which was sent from Racine, Wis., Rose said:

"Los Angeles is the logical financial center of the Southwest and entitled to have one of the regional reserve banks established there. Suggest your presenting matter to Council and having them pass resolution to that effect, forwarding same to Secretary of the Treasury. Indorsement of Los Angeles banks accompanying would have good effect."

The message from Acting Mayor Whitten, which will be read before the Council today, says:

The currency bill which has long been under consideration by Congress has now become a law, and it has been decided to establish fourteen regional banks in fourteen different cities throughout the country. It is of the greatest importance to the city of Los Angeles that one of these banks be established here, and looking to that end every effort should be put forth by the city to secure one.

I recommend that a committee of the Council be appointed to draft a proper resolution to be acted upon at as early a date as possible by your honorable body, and forwarded to the Secretary of the Treasury, Washington, D. C.

Tag Must Be on Dog.

That no matter how many dog license fees a dog owner may have paid into the city treasury, a license tag must be worn by the dog or it will be subject to imprisonment in the city pound was the platform on which representatives of the Humane Animal Commission firmly took their stand yesterday, in opposition to the Council's Finance Committee.

The "scrap" arose out of a case wherein the dog of Charles Litchenberg of Boyle Heights was gathered into the pound after said dog was frisking around tagless while drying himself after a bath. Litchenberg had the tag in the house at the time the dog was taken, and demanded of the city a refund of the amount he had to pay to recover the dog.

The Finance Committee was favorable to the refund. The Humane Animal Commission refused to make the refund. Francis G. Haley and Mrs. F. Weldon, members of the commission, declared that they would enforce the existing ordinance, and that this requires that each dog wear a tag or that it shall be taken to the pound. The Finance Committee deferred final action one week.

Exception for City's Sheds.

Although the public market site for the Hollywood district is within the fire limits of that suburb, the City Council decided yesterday to make an exception to the prohibition of the erection of any frame buildings, in the case of the proposed market sheds, and it authorized their erection. It was averred that there is special need of these temporary sheds to protect marketers and produce from wet weather.

Church Building Dangerous.

Chief Inspector of Buildings Backus asked the Board of Public Works yesterday to serve notice upon the pastor and trustees of the Methodist Episcopal Church, at No. 5111 Hollywood boulevard, that this edifice is in a dangerous condition and must be at once repaired or demolished.

Backus stated that last July his inspectors had discovered that the weight of the roof had caused the walls to spread, but that he had considered there was no serious menace during the months when there were no rains or storms. Now, however, the walls have further spread and the possibility of heavy storms make the situation such as to demand immediate attention.

The board decided to summon the pastor and trustees to appear before it and discuss the situation before a formal order is made.

Works Board Granted Powers.

The City Council has conferred upon the Board of Public Works the power to enter into contracts for the renewal of the timbers in the Fourth-street viaduct and to dispose of street sweepings for the ensuing year. The board yesterday decided to open bids for these contracts on January 5. It is expected that an offer will be made that will provide for the removal of the street sweeping without cost to the city, and possibly an income will be derived from this source.

Would Widen Avenue.

A movement is well under way to secure the widening of Long Beach avenue, from Washington street to Slauson avenue so that there shall be forty feet of street space on each side of the four-track system of the Pacific Electric company. The ordinance of intention has been passed and the time for final protests will expire during January.

Caucus on Surgeon Today.

Immediately after the Council session today the Councilmen will go into caucus on the subject of selecting a man to fill the position of police surgeon, made vacant by the resignation of Dr. C. E. Zerfing.

The applicants for this position are Dr. Howard W. Seager, Dr. A. B. Perkey, Dr. Norman F. Sprague, Dr. Edwin H. Wiley, Dr. Charles F. de Mey, Dr. Charles P. Nelson and Dr. C. W. Cook.

Girder Rail Ordinance.

Within a few days the recommendation of the Public Works Committee on the proposed amendment to the girder rail ordinance will be presented to the City Council. A conference was held yesterday between the committee, City Attorney and Chief Engineer Kuhrts of the Los Angeles Railway Corporation, resulting in a final agreement.

In addition to the streets upon which the Municipal League recommended that the girder rails should be placed, the committee will report that the corporation must install girder rails on about 1200 feet on West Adams street; 1100 feet on West Eighth street, and about 1450 feet on Etrella avenue, between Washington and Twenty-third streets.

Must Be Through Assessments.

If the residents of Herman secure the desired concrete arch bridge across the Arroyo Seco at Avenue 60, which they ardently desire, it will have to be through the means of an assessment district, decided the Finance Committee of the City Council yesterday. The original petition of the Hermon Civic Improvement Association asked for the formation of an assessment district for this purpose, but last week a second petition from the same source was filed, asking that provision be made for the bridge in the next annual budget.

Proposed New Cannery.

Promoters of a proposed new tuna fish cannery at San Pedro were before the Harbor Commission yesterday, seeking information as to lands available for leasing for such a project. They will file a formal application for a lease of land in proximity to the fishermen's wharf within a few days. Their initial outlay will be about $6000, but they expect that within a short time they will be able to give employment to about 200 persons. They expect to have their factory in full operation by March.

City Hall Brevities.

The municipal employment bureau will be opened on January 2, at No. 208 Franklin street, with N. J. Davenport as superintendent. The Merchants' and Manufacturers' Association will co-operate with this bureau by asking all of its members to employ help furnished through this bureau.

Gabor Heygi has thirty-five acres of land adjoining Elysian Park, which the Park Commission desires as an addition to the park. Heygi wants $65,000 for the property, and the commission is considering an offer of $50,000.

The Fire Commission yesterday asked the City Council to reconsider the ordinance which prohibits the establishment or maintenance of any public garage within 200 feet of any public school building.

The Playground Commission has filed a request to the City Council to provide for the employment of a director of the social center, and athletic field at Exposition Park, at a salary of $150 per month.

The Economic Gas Company yesterday filed with the City Clerk a demand upon the City Council for the refund of $1652.01, paid from April 6, 1911, to October 10, 1913, as a license tax. The claim is set up that the ordinance imposing a license tax upon the manufacture and distribution of gas for light, power and heat purposes is unconstitutional and void.

A petition was filed yesterday from owners of various theaters as asking that the building ordinance be amended so that all theaters or picture show houses erected in future must be of fireproof, glass A construction.

SEEK PUBLIC DEFENDER.

Supervisors Have Three to Choose From for New Servant of the People.

The County Civil Service Commission yesterday gave the names of the three men who passed the best examination for the position of public defender.

The list is Walton J. Wood, W. T. Aggeler and Vermell Rapp. It is probable that Wood, who is highly recommended, will receive the appointment, which carries with it a salary of $250 a month.

The duty of the public defender is to look after clients too poor to employ counsel and to give free advice to all who ask it. He is also supposed to defend persons in need of counsel but unable to pay for the same. The public defender will be a busy man.

At the Courthouse.

MARITAL MIX-UP STILL MUDDLED.

FOURTH UNION'S UNHAPPY, BUT MUST BE ENDURED.

Wife Charges Bills and Secures Money by Borrowing, Which Does Not Please the Court—Legislative Act Unconstitutional — Surgeon Made Defendant.

Separate maintenance was denied Minda Baker from C. F. Baker by Judge Monroe yesterday, and the story of her fourth matrimonial venture as it was unfolded in court brought out a curious state of affairs.

A man named Jackson was Mrs. Baker's first husband. They were married in Nebraska and lived together fifteen years. Then Jackson died. Charles Chatterbaugh was No. 2. This marriage resulted in a divorce. No. 3 was Thomas MacPherson, and Mrs. Baker stated she believed she was married to him, but discovered she was not. Baker is No. 4. He seemed to be a prosperous Wyoming man, but it developed from his testimony she wanted more money than he could afford her.

On one occasion Mrs. Baker visited friends at Modesto and it was in evidence that she telegraphed H. A. Burich, a sheep grower of Wyoming, for $50. Believing the telegram came from Baker, his friend, he sent the money, which Mrs. Baker received and spent. The telegram was an exhibit in the case.

She testified Baker had not bought her a coat since their marriage and she bought one at a department store and had it charged. She alleged Baker treated her cruelly. She asked him why he slapped her, which she testified he had done, and she says he replied:

"It always makes a woman more of a woman if she is slapped once in a while."

Baker denied being cruel.

They were married at Casper, Wyo., June 17, 1910, and she left him November 30, 1912.

SUIT THROWN OUT.
ACT UNCONSTITUTIONAL.

A damage suit involving the liability of public officers and municipalities under the act of 1911 was thrown out of court by Judge Wellborn yesterday, being probably the first decision to be handed down covering the constitutionality of the act.

The plaintiff was C. E. A. Brunson, who brought suit against the City of Santa Monica for $700 damages for loss of two horses by reason of injuries received through the alleged negligence and operation of the Santa Monica city dump.

Attorney Ceruti, counsel for Brunson, relied on the statute passed by the Legislature in 1911 in which it sets up the liability of public officers in the heading of the act, but in the chapter gives both liability by the public officers and imposes liability on the city in cases of negligence.

Hutton, Jensen & Fogel demurred to the complaint on the ground that the act did not cover the subject matter and attacked its constitutionality. Judge Wellborn held it is unconstitutional under ArticleIV, Section 24, of the State Constitution; that the title of the act must express therein all the subject matter covered by the act.

BLAMES DOCTOR.
DEMANDS DAMAGES.

Dr. R. L. Byron of the Lissner building was made defendant yesterday in an alleged malpractice suit brought by Fred Henry Fritz for the death of his daughter, Madeline Louise Fritz, aged 6 months, who was given a prescription by Dr. Byron which was to be taken until otherwise directed.

Fritz, who asks $25,000 damages for the loss of his child, alleges criminal negligence and gross disregard of the duty of a physician. He alleges that the child died as the result of mercurial and medicinal poisoning. He declares that under the direction of the physician a powder was administered every hour until fourteen had been taken, when the child became dangerously ill, rapidly growing worse.

The complaint states that Madeline was healthy from the time of birth until she contracted an ordinary child's disease. Dr. Byron was engaged September 23 last and wrote the prescription which is set out in the complaint. October 16 Madeline died.

SUES SURGEON.
TWICE WIFE, NOW NONE.

A demurrer to the $16,500 damage suit of Grace Strode, later Grace Warner, once the wife of two men and now the wife of neither by a unique incident, was set for argument in Judge Wellborn's court yesterday. The suit is against Dr. H. E. Southworth for alleged malpractice. Mrs. Strode alleges that after operating on her for a tumor the surgeon negligently omitted to remove a piece of gauze; that subsequently an abscess formed and that it was necessary to reopen the wound three times.

When Mrs. Strode married Warner she appeared to be the victim of a fake letter announcing the death of Strode. In this letter were given the names of the members of choir and the selections sung at Strode's funeral. Believing she was a widow, she married Warner. Seven years later Strode appeared but unlike in the case of Enoch Arden of old, she became aware of his living presence. She was divorced from Strode and Warner obtained an annullment of his marriage to her.

SEEKS INJUNCTION.
JURISDICTION QUESTIONED.

Assistant City Attorney Burnell raised the question of jurisdiction yesterday in the suit of W. W. Williams to enjoin the City Prosecutor and the police department from arresting him and confiscating slot machines in operation in this city. Williams held the operation of the machine is not prohibited by the Penal Code inasmuch as it is not a game of chance.

Burnell held a court in equity has no jurisdiction to enjoin the enforcement of a penal statute. The proper procedure is to make an arrest and try the issue in the criminal court. Judge Works, who heard the argument, dissolved the temporary injunction. The point raised by Burnell as to jurisdiction was submitted on briefs.

LAYS IT TO TEMPER.
HUSBAND IS DIVORCED.

Quarrels due to the alleged ungovernable temper of her husband, Richmond B. Redington, and his desertion of her a year ago were the main points in the testimony of Ida P. Redington, who was granted a decree of divorce by Judge Jackson yesterday.

Redington was a draughtsman for the Los Angeles Investment Company and is now said to be in Arizona. He was married at Washington December 15, 1906. Since he left her his wife says she has received no support from him. Several friends of Mrs. Redington were witnesses in her behalf.

THE FARISS CASE.
POSITION OF PROSECUTION.

The following was given out last evening by the District Attorney's office:

"If there is any point which learned counsel could raise, which point the court would be justified in considering before passing sentence on Fariss, and if that point was not raised by reason of the ignorance of the defendant, we are perfectly willing that the judgment should be set aside in order that it may be heard.

"The State does not punish in anger or vengeance. Such a delay at best could be but short. This young man has simply arrived at his destination in life, toward which he has been hurrying with accurate precision. The State will insist on the extreme penalty. But we also concede to the defendant the right to be fully heard, if, in his ignorance he has deprived himself of that privilege."

COURTHOUSE NOTES.
BREVITIES MISCELLANEOUS.

BANK HOLDS WILL. Emma E. Keefe was appointed special administratrix of the estate of Thomas F. Keefe by Presiding Judge McCormick yesterday to obtain from a safe deposit box in the Farmers' and Merchants' National Bank Keefe's will and other papers he had placed there. Keefe died on the 21st inst., leaving an estate in excess of $10,000. This consists of real property, the exact nature of which was unknown at the time the petition was filed.

LEARNS LESSON. Samuel T. Arnold was committed to the County Jail for contempt by Judge Monroe yesterday in alimony proceedings. Arnold was ordered to pay alimony pending divorce proceedings. He did not pay and a bench warrant was issued and he was arrested Sunday night. In court today he told the judge he had offered to give his wife $5 a week. Then he dropped the remark which brought him in contempt of court.

AMONG THE JUDGES. Judge J. Perry Wood, who has been ill with acute bronchitis, is recovering at his home at Pasadena. Judge York went to Imperial Valley yesterday on business. Judge Rives will not hold Probate Court this week as he is working on submitted cases, among others the Ross and De Baker estates. Judge Church of Fresno was here yesterday to dispose of matters he tried several months ago.

ON PROBATION. Two horns of a dilemma were presented yesterday to Henry D. Scott, who was convicted of contributing to the dependency of a Miss Schmidt. He could serve a sentence or make the girl his wife. He chose the latter alternative after conviction and was placed on two years' probation by Judge Taft yesterday.

INCORPORATIONS. Pacific Brokerage and Investment Company; incorporators, P. O. Saunders, Pinckney French, T. B. Duncan; capital stock, $75,000; subscribed, $15,000. Butte Gold Mining Company; incorporators, F. W. Kuster, William M. Ford, W. C. Scheu, C. B. Ford, C. H. Scheu, G. I. Barnes, Charles D. Filstead; capital stock, $500,000; subscribed, $400,000. The Pacific Coast Law and Collection Company; incorporators, William F. Shaw, James McQuade, O. T. Brekke, Joseph M. de Vito; capital stock, $7500; subscribed, $400.

PLACED ON FILE.

A communication from the City Council relative to the proceedings necessary to be taken before some sections of the San Fernando Valley can be annexed to the city was received by the Supervisors yesterday and placed on file without comment.

TO THE LONG WHARF.

The question of the Pacific Electric franchise to the road which runs from Santa Monica to the long wharf, now virtually abandoned, was brought up before the Supervisors yesterday. The Supervisors intimated that if the railroad company does not intend to renew its franchise the county will construct a driveway and use the wharf for fishing parties. The matter is under consideration.

ROAD LONG DEDICATED.

J. A. Wall protested to the Board of Supervisors yesterday against a highway which crosses his property in the county. A reference to old maps shows that the county road was dedicated in 1882, which disposed of the protest.

AQUEDUCT PIPE LINE.

Before Beverly Hills is incorporated the Supervisors will ask for a right of way for an aqueduct pipe line which will pass through the boundaries of the proposed city. The question was referred to Attorney Haskins, who represents the petitioners.

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Negotiations Pertain Only to Possessions in Africa, It Is Alleged.

[BY CABLE AND DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

BERLIN, Dec. 30.—[Exclusive dispatch.] Great Britain and Germany have as good as concluded a comprehensive political agreement which, optimists believe, will go far toward eradicating the danger of war between the two empires.

The negotiations have been carried on exclusively in London, so that the first announcement of their result will be made there.

Although the agreement is far reaching, it falls conspicuously short of touch what impartial authorities in both countries recognize to be the cause of unrest between Great Britain and Germany, namely, naval rivalry. England has made numerous overtures to bring about an understanding on this burning question, but Germany has rejected them on the ground that her naval policy is laid down by law and cannot be altered without an act of Parliament. While the government's attitude toward alteration of policy would be materially inferred from the recent remarks of the conservative Kreuz Zeitung, in response to the suggestions of the British First Lord of the Admiralty, Winston Churchill: "Our naval programme must be carried through at all costs. We shall not alter it.

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SUMMARY.

THE SKY. Cloudy. Wind at 5 p.m., northeast; velocity, 7 miles. Thermometer, highest, 55 deg.; lowest, 40 deg. Forecast: Rain Wednesday, fresh southwest winds. For complete weather report see last page of Part I.

THE CITY. From a meeting of prominent Republicans at luncheon yesterday is expected to spring a movement that will result in cementing political affiliations and bringing into being a revived party in this State.

In a pistol duel fought in a patrol wagon last night between a man and a woman, the former was killed and the latter, the former was killed and the patrolman badly wounded.

The creation of a "labor test fund," for the purpose of giving work in the parks to every man who really needs employment, was proposed yesterday by the president of the Municipal Charities Commission.

A committee of seven was arranged for yesterday to appear before the Board of Supervisors Monday to urge that next year's tax levies provide for an appropriation of over $250,000 to carry out floral and entertainment plans for the exposition year.

The receipts of the Los Angeles postoffice for the year closing last midnight indicate that this city soon will reach the $3,000,000 class.

A fugitive curbstone broker of this city was located yesterday by wireless on board a steamship bound for Australia.

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